TO CHANGE TRUCE TERMS

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity—Fair and warmer tonight and Tuesday; fresh south to southwest winds.
Sun rises 7:12, sets 4:54.
Moon sets 4:31 a. m.
High tide 8:22 a. m., 9 p. m.
Temperatures (till noon): Maximum, 34 at noon; minimum, 16 at 4 a. m.; average, 25. Temperature at noon, 34.
Light all vehicles at 5:04 p. m.

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MRS. LEBAUDY TELLS WHY SHE KILLED HER HUSBAND

'SOLDIERS' FRIEND' EXTENDS WORK

American Will See That Justice Is Done Service Men and Families

The Boston American announces today a broad extension of the scope of its department known as "The Soldiers' Friend." The activities of this department are now enlarged to give aid and assistance to men of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps and, through them, to their families and dependents.

The department, so far, has confined its activities to answering questions sent in by service men and their relatives, questions relating to the whereabouts of men still in service abroad, to pay, insurance and other matters where exact information has been sought.

In this information work the "Soldiers' Friend" has already found many opportunities for helpfulness. Hundreds of letters have been received and have been answered in the columns of the Boston American as quickly as the information asked could be secured.

PURPOSES OF DEPARTMENT.

The increasing popularity of this department has been shown by the steadily increasing number of inquiries. Now the time has arrived to extend the work of this department and to specialize its activities.

The sentiment of readers has been canvassed in various parts of the country. The response has convinced the American that the need for this department is big, and each day is assuming greater proportions. By the establishment of "The Soldiers' Friend" in this and associated papers, North, South, East and West, it is planned to meet this need in a big way.

The work of this department will bring it not only in contact with the men, but also with the government. Its efforts for the men will be purely and practically helpful. Where it touches on the conditions in the government departments its efforts will be corrective and constructive.

Here are some of the purposes which "The Soldiers' Friend" has in view:

1—To conduct a legal bureau, with headquarters in Washington and with branches in each city where a Hearst paper is published, to give advice and legal aid to soldiers who have suffered through their absence from their affairs in the service of their country.

2—To have the severe sentences of courts-martial examined into to see if any injustice has been done and to fight for the righting of all wrongs that may have been done by courts-martial.

3—To aid men as they are dis-

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PICTURES of New England War Heroes Today on Page 12.

Boston Police May Buy Lunches at Canteen Rates

Coffee and "sinkers" at cost for policemen may be the thing somewhere near Pemberton square if the plan advocated for New York's policemen by Commissioner Enright of that city is taken up here.

The police canteen idea is not new and is used extensively abroad, where, in London at least, there is a bar for bobbies where they can line up and have the 'alf and 'alf shoved across to them, just like that.

While Boston may never come to this, there is a possibility that there may be established in or near the Courthouse a lunch room where the bluecoats may get a light lunch without paying out three or four profits for it.

ST. JAMES HALL HAS LICENSE REVOKED

Municipal Board of Censors Says "A Nuisance in Fact" Existed There

The license of the St. James' dance hall in Huntington avenue has been revoked after an investigation of the moral atmosphere there, and places of similar character have been given a sharp warning.

After a two-day hearing in which sensational testimony was introduced before the Municipal Board of Censors, the board today announced that "a nuisance in fact existed there, which is now abated by revocation of the license."

The finding concludes with the significant warning, "Holders of similar licenses will take notice."

The Municipal Board of Censors consists of Mayor Peters, Police Commissioner Curtis and Chief Justice Wilfred Bolster. The decision of the board says:

"Evidence in plenary that the St. James dance hall was licensed for innocent amusement, and has become a common resort of disorderly persons of both sexes, a local centre for disease and immorality and a menace to the community.

"Given such facts, it is immaterial whether the licensee has consented to such conditions or has ineffectually resisted them. The nuisance in fact existed, and is now abated by revocation of the license."

Moses H. Gulesian, owner of the property, protested during the hearings that they should be held in the open, and that his place was conducted as carefully as the ballrooms of Boston's exclusive hotels.

The agitation was begun by Joseph P. Walsh, representing the first and second naval districts for the Commission on Training Camp Activities, U. S. N. He was joined by social workers, Government investigators, provost guards and military police, who testified that the dance hall was particularly a menace to men in uniform. More than a hundred witnesses were heard, some of them girls from fourteen to eighteen.

The evidence given is known to have been that sailors and soldiers were "picked up" by young women, that the dance hall was a place of meeting for men in uniform and girls, that rude language was indulged in freely by drunken men and women, and that business houses near the St. James have protested about acts seen or heard in the vicinity.

One bit of testimony, which is said to have weighted heavily with the Board of Censors, was that of a fourteen-year-old girl who was escorted home from one of the dances by a stranger who attacked her on Boston Common. Women social workers said this was far from the only case of its kind.

EXECUTE REBELS IN BERLIN

Spartacan Uprising Crushed; Rosa Luxemburg Reported Arrested

By International News Service.

London, Jan. 13.—Many Spartacan prisoners are reported to have been executed at Berlin. When local soldiers stormed Spartacan headquarters they arrested Rosa Luxemburg, one of Liebknecht's chief aides, according to information from Berlin.

Eight hundred men and women, with 1,200 rifles, 100 machine guns and thousands of bombs, defended the Vorwaerts building in Berlin, but were finally driven out, said a dispatch quoting the newspaper Tagliche Rundschau. The crowd attempted to lynch the prisoners, including the Bolshevist agitator Lewin.

The Spartacans sustained 2,100 casualties in the fighting in Berlin during the past week, it is reported. Six hundred were killed and 1,500 wounded. The German government's victory is now assured, it is said, despite the fact that artillery and machine gun fighting was in progress all day Sunday.

PRIVATE EXECUTIONS.

Loyal troops are much incensed over the cruelties inflicted by the Spartacans. Private court-martial were set up and seven Spartacans were shot before the government intervened. All of the prisoners have now been promised formal trials.

The Spartacus group planned to

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MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ROOSEVELT IN LONDON

London, Jan. 13.—Memorial services were held for Colonel Theodore Roosevelt today at the Church of St. Ethelburga, Bishopsgate. American Consul-General Robert P. Skinner delivered an address. Those present included John W. Davis, the American ambassador; Lady Spring-Rice, wife of the former British ambassador to the United States; Lord Rothschild, Lord Beresford and General Biddle, commander of the American troops here. The choral service included "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

INCREASE IN PNEUMONIA AND INFLUENZA CASES

New cases of influenza and pneumonia took a decided jump during the past twenty-four hours, while deaths from these diseases remained the same as the preceding twenty-four hours. Fresh cases of influenza numbered 170, against 86 reported at 9 a. m. yesterday morning. Today's pneumonia cases number 15, against yesterday's 3. Deaths from influenza for the past twenty-four hours number 21, the same as yesterday, and pneumonia deaths were 7, also the same as the preceding period.

THREE CARGOES OF FOOD ON THE WAY TO FRANCE

Washington, Jan. 13.—Three cargo ships loaded with 16,304,000 pounds of flour and other foodstuffs are en route to Gibraltar, where they will be unloaded and the cargoes sent into France for sale to the people at cost, the War Department announced this afternoon. The supplies were purchased by the department in this country and will be distributed under the direction of Herbert C. Hoover.

SESSION RESUMED IN PARIS

Envoys of the Great Powers Tackle Difficulties of Organization

London, Jan. 13—The terms on which the armistice will be renewed will give Marshal Foch and the allied commanders a freer hand and additional power to take the initiative "if circumstances demand," according to information received by the Evening News from Paris this afternoon.

By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, Jan. 13.—Delegates to the first session of the supreme inter-allied council at the foreign office on Sunday afternoon, failed to reach any agreement on the procedure of the peace conference, it was learned today from an authoritative source.

The second session of the meeting was scheduled to begin at the foreign office at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The initial session was understood to be unsatisfactory from an American point of view. The spectre of "secret diplomacy" has already been dragged forth in the comment on the first session.

It is expected that an official statement may be issued at the conclusion of the second session.

This meeting of the premiers and foreign ministers along with President Wilson and Secretary Lansing was called for an interchange of ideas on matters of organization and detail regarding the peace conference program.

That some progress had been made, however, was indicated by Secretary Lansing's statement that "only technical details had been arranged so far."

PRESIDENT WILSON SILENT.

The belief was maintained, however, that an agreement would be reached which would give the United States a chance to insist upon the inclusion of clauses which would enable the American commissioners to carry out all of President Wilson's fourteen principles.

The absence of Colonel E. M. House from the first meeting was an actual blow to the Americans, inasmuch as

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'MERCHANT' FINED FOR KISSING SALEM GIRL

Salem, Jan. 13.—Narsoog Mansour's method of opening a new department store in this city landed him in court today and he was fined $10 for assault on a Salem young woman. He came to Salem from Manchester, N. H., ten days since, and rumors were circulated that he was about to open a department store. He advertised for help, and in reply to letters from two Salem girls who were ambitious to be salesgirls at the new store called at their homes. It is claimed he tried to kiss them. For which attempt he paid the county $10 today.

CAPTAIN H. J. HARRIS' TRIAL AGAIN POSTPONED

Camp Devens, Ayer, Jan. 13.—Trial of Captain Harry J. Harris of the Salvage Depot, Quartermaster's Corps, was postponed for the second time today on account of the continued illness of Captain Beckwith, one of the trial officers. The trial is scheduled to take place tomorrow before a court-martial. Captain Harris is charged with misappropriating government property.

MRS. LEBAUDY AND DAUGHTER, JACQUELINE

Common Law wife of Jacques Lebaudy, the eccentric millionaire whom she slew, and their fifteen-year-old daughter. Below is Phoenix Lodge, "The House of Fifty Rooms" at Westburg, L. I. The entrance from the driveway opens into the library, on the threshold of which Lebaudy was shot and killed.

DAUGHTER IN DANGER, SHE SAYS

Declares She Is Common Law Wife of Lebaudy, and There Was Never a Ceremony

By WILLIAM BASKERVILLE,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Westbury, L. I., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Marie Augustine Lebaudy today through her attorney, Harry W. Moore, told her own story of the shooting of her husband, Jacques Lebaudy, eccentric millionaire, to save her fifteen-year-old daughter from a fate forse than death, and of the series of incidents which led to her act.

Prostrated and suffering from bronchitis in one of the smaller rooms of their fifty-room mansion at Westbury, she sobbed out at times incoherently, a heart-rending story of fear, suffering and tragedy. She spoke in broken English and at times gave vent to her feelings in outbursts of rapid French—her native tongue. Mrs. Lebaudy said that Lebaudy, widely known as "Emperor of the Sahara" had threatened several times to kill her and charged that he twice attempted to stab her with a hunting knife before the tragedy last Saturday afternoon on the staircase of their Long Island home.

REVOLVER IN HER POCKET.

"I heard a noise downstairs, a fearful noise," sobbed Mrs. Lebaudy, according to her counsel. "I knew he had come and after these terrible threats—oh, it is horrible, horrible. Oh, God, oh, God. I hurriedly threw on a dressing gown, and the frail little brunette covered her face with her hands apparently recalling the tragedy.

"I hurried downstairs." In the pocket of my dressing gown there was a revolver given to me by a friend who feared for my life. When I had almost reached the first landing I saw him coming up the stairs. He was

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Brother of General Edwards Dies at Cleveland

By International News Service.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 13.—Harry R. Edwards, brother of Major-General Clarence R. Edwards, and son of a former Mayor of Cleveland, died early today of influenza and pneumonia at his home here after several weeks' of illness.

Members of his family, including General Edwards, who arrived here Saturday, were at the bedside.

Born Christmas Day, 1861, Mr. Edwards was educated at Harvard. He entered the wholesale grocery firm of his father after graduation and succeeded him as its head upon his death.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $42,248,140.

Boston sub-treasury, credit, $145,348.

New York bank clearings, $467,062,464.

New York sub-treasury, credit, $234,720.

Ex-Kaiser Charged With Assault on Worcester Man

Worcester, Jan. 13.—Wilhelm Hohenzollern, former emperor of Germany, is charged on the police blotter at the Worcester police court with assault with intent to kill. The charge was preferred by Police Surgeon Arthur J. Nugent, on "evidence received."

The evidence was furnished by Private Walter Sullivan of Natick, who was member of Company L, 101st Infantry. Private Sullivan called at the police station to have a wound dressed. He told the police surgeon he received the wound at Verdun from a discharge of German shrapnel.

As is required by law Dr. Nugent made a record of the treatment and then preferred charges against the former Kaiser. The latter's address is given as Potsdam Palace, with the notation "probably has moved."

$100,000,000 FOOD BILL TO PASS HOUSE TODAY

Washington, Jan. 13.—Passage by the House this afternoon of the bill embodying the President's proposal of $100,000,000 for foodstuffs for Europe was forecasted not only by the presence of a solid Democratic majority, but by the strong championship of the measure voiced by Uncle Joe Cannon, former speaker, and Minority Leader Mann, two of the oldest and most influential members of the House.

WOMAN FOUND GUILTY AS HOUSE-BREAKER

Mrs. Sophia Thomas of Cameron avenue, West Somerville, charged with breaking and entering the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Serocznynski on the first floor of the same address on January 2 with intent to commit larceny, was found guilty in Somerville Court today. The case was continued until Wednesday for sentence.

MAUDE ADAMS NOW GREATLY IMPROVED

Miss Maude Adams, the actress who is recuperating from a nervous breakdown at the home of Miss Phyllis Robbins, No. 41 Commonwealth avenue, is reported today as being greatly improved and her early recovery is looked for. It is understood that Miss Adams will shortly begin rehearsals for a new play written for her by James M. Barrie.

MRS. LEBAUDY'S OWN STORY OF KILLING OF HER HUSBAND

DID IT TO SAVE DAUGHTER, SHE DECLARES

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using terrible language and his eyes blazed.

"He dashed toward me and seized me by the arm. At the same time he drew the weapon from his pocket. Fearing for Jacqueline and for my own life, I fired. He fell downstairs. Oh, my God, I don't know what happened after that.

"Regarding events which preceded the tragedy, Mrs. Lebaudy told how she had lived in fear for the safety of her daughter and her own life for months.

"Three months ago," she explained with eyes filled with tears, "Francois, the cook, screamed him says 'I am the sultan and this is my harem.' Just after that he tried to attack our little daughter in his own child, a mere baby. I have lived in fear and trembling that he would hurt our precious baby. For the past two weeks his actions have been threatening.

"His actions have been threatening, and we have been living practically barricaded. Every few nights, for the past three months he invaded the house and acted strangely. He was insane—he must have been.

HIS COMMON LAW WIFE.

"There was never any civil or church ceremony between us, but I am his common law wife and have been introduced as his wife in Europe and America. Some time he introduced me as his countess, and everybody was led to believe that we had been formally married.

"He was the most generous man in the world at times, and then suddenly, without provocation or cause, he would become very stingy, terribly stingy, and deny us the necessities of life. I endured him for the sake of our daughter, although I have been living in mortal fear.

"I confided my terror to a woman friend, a dear friend, who gave me a pistol to protect myself with. It was the pistol which I had on the stairs. I am justified in what I have done because I did it to save my baby girl from worse than death and to save my own life. If he had killed me I shudder to think what might have happened."

Attorney Moore plans to confer again with his client today.

THREATENED TO KILL WIFE.

The story as told by Mr. Moore and pieced together by him follows:

"During the week prior to the shooting, Mr. Lebaudy threatened several times to kill his wife and twice attempted to stab her with a hunting knife. He told his wife that she must be like women in some oriental countries where the mother, upon becoming physically unattractive to her husband, must permit her daughter to take her place.

"Mr. Lebaudy's recent threats to kill Mrs. Lebaudy were followed by scenes of her indignant refusals and intervention. She had then caused heavy chains to be put upon the bedroom door of the two rooms occupied by herself and her daughter, Jacqueline. On one occasion these chains had prevented Mr. Lebaudy from obtaining an entry. The state consabulary at Mineola were informed of the trouble at that time and promised prompt protection.

"On Saturday morning, Mr. Lebaudy telephoned from New York and told his wife that he was coming out. He was using language which caused her to fear his intentions. All these conversations were in French.

MAKING A GREAT NOISE.

As soon as he arrived around 9 o'clock he made a great noise about the lower part of the house, opening the windows and emptying blazing coals from the fireplace out on the lawn. His wife, who was then in bed, got up and put on a dressing gown and descended a few steps from the head of the stairway to the second floor towards the first landing.

"Mr. Lebaudy swung her from the lower hall and rushed up the stairway and grabbed her by the arm, at the same time threatening that he was going to 'finish' her. He swung her around and reached into a pocket for his weapon. As he was drawing it she quickly fired with a revolver furnished by a friend for her protection. Lebaudy staggered back and fell dead at the foot of the stairs.

"There were no eyewitnesses to the occurrence, but there is plenty of evidence as to Lebaudy's intentions, both toward his wife and his daughter. If ever a woman was justified in defending herself and her child from its emunderous attacks of an insane person, this woman was."

DOCTORS ISSUE STATEMENT.

Dr. Guy P. Gleghorn and Dr. Paul Ferrer, after examination of Mrs. Lebaudy at her home today, issued the following statement, concerning her condition:

"Mrs. Lebaudy is suffering from a slight cold and an attack of bronchitis and has some temperature. She may not be in a condition to be removed by the authorities for a week. She is able to take nourishment. The condition of her daughter, Jaqueline, is satisfactory. She is not ill."

The villagers of Westbury related many instances of the strange and weird actions of Jacques Lebaudy. On one occasion, they related, he received an immense shipment of New York and other daily newspapers. In a pedler's cart he took these papers to a pasture on his estate, piled them over them and set them afire and laughing in great glee watched them burn.

On another occasion he saddled two cows and attempted to hurdle the estate fences with them. One of the saddles slipped off when the girth broke and Lebaudy received a bad fall, but he conquered the cow and again tried to make her hurdle the fences, riding her without a saddle.

The villagers also tell of seeing a strange red light moving mysteriously about the Lebaudy estate at night. A constable on patrol duty one night encountered the "Emperor." "What's the idea?" asked the constable when he came upon Lebaudy with the danger lamp swinging from his mouth.

"I am doing this for my health," Lebaudy is quoted to have said.

Still another story is told of how Lebaudy ordered a carload of ice shipped him from New York. He had this ice put in the cellar of one of the Lebaudy estate, "to keep the hay cool," he said.

The body of Lebaudy which was claimed by his attorney, is still being held at Hempstead where it was taken shortly after the tragedy.

The grand jury today took up its investigation of the case, and it is expected that an indictment will be returned charging Mrs. Lebaudy with first degree murder.

Including the nurse there will be only four other witnesses examined—Francois, the cook; Jules Lecombe, the gardener; Jacqueline, the daughter, and Harry Greenlein, the chauffeur of Mineola, who drove the taxicab in which Lebaudy went to his home on Saturday night to meet his death. He is expected to testify as to the queer actions of Lebaudy while in the taxicab.

THE "EMPEROR'S" ECCENTRICITIES.

Lescombe is expected to testify to the eccentricities of Lebaudy and of "scenes" between the "emperor" and his wife.

The nurse, who was upstairs with Mrs. Lebaudy just before the shooting, is expected to give valuable testimony as to the happenings just prior to the slaying of Lebaudy.

Francois, the cook, was in the kitchen when Lebaudy burst through the door with a pistol, acting strangely and carrying a can of kerosene in his hand. Her testimony will likely dwell on Lebaudy's strange actions just before he was shot.

Other important witness will in all likelihood detail the various quarrels between her mother and father. There is only one witness to the shooting.

The Grand Jury will meet in the same room where Mrs. Bianca de Saulles and Mrs. Florence Ahrman, charged with the murder of Elsie Leland murders, were indicted. Both women are acquitted. Mrs. Lebaudy, if she is sufficiently recovered, will be taken to court on Wednesday and arraigned for the grand jury.

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Made with novelty pockets and belt. Black or navy.

children's all-wool white sweaters $1.95
High collar model with colored belt and contrasting stripes on collar and front. Sizes 3 and 4 years.

girls' sailor dresses $4.95
Navy and a few brown or wine; plaited skirt with two pockets; collar, cuffs and tie, some have belt trimmed with braid. Sizes 8 to 14.

sample coat sweaters $4.95
Made of zephyr yarn with large collar and belt or sash, some in new Tuxedo model.

just 57 girls' corduroy coats $3.75
Two distinctive models in brown or navy; fully lined; sizes 7 to 10 in the lot.

envelope chemises 50c
Fine material neatly trimmed with lace and embroidery; lace shoulder straps.

hundreds of other bargain lots

Melrose Woman Is Notified of Fire in Home by 'Phone

"Your house is afire," Mrs. George P. Merrill of East Emerson street, Melrose, was informed over the telephone today. Half shapecting a joke, Mrs. Merrill thanked her informant, hung up, and went out to look. The roof of her two-story home was nearly burned away, and flames were coming around the corner. Miss Eva Fredericks, a neighbor, discovered the fire and telephoned to the fire department. In the home with Mrs. Merrill was her son, Lieutenant Parker Merrill of the Aviation Corps.

The damage was $5,000.

ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY UPRISING PLOT NIPPED

Montevideo, Jan. 13.—A plot for a great uprising in Argentina and Uruguay, which included plans for the killing of many of the prominent political and commercial leaders in both countries, is reported to have been revealed by confessions of seven radical Socialists arrested in this city. Isaac Molinoff, one of the men under arrest, is said to have implicated forty-two others in the plot, which was scheduled to be carried out within thirty days.

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SPARTACANS ARE CRUSHED IN BERLIN

Victory for Ebert Government Forces Reported to Be Complete

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start the counter revolution by destroying all of the telephone and telegraph lines leading from Berlin.

Pamphlets calling for sabotage were distributed, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung.

The Spartacans hoped to overthrow the Ebert government and prevent the convocation of the National Assembly.

Pamphlets signed by Robert Emil Eichhorn, one of the Red leaders, were dropped from airplanes proclaiming that "there would be no rest until the Ebert – Scheidemann – government caved in, and that after the independents had been in power three months they would hold an election for a national assembly themselves."

ALLIES PLAN WARNING.

An ultimatum may be sent to Germany by the allied government to prevent the spread of anarchy, the London Mail Gazette reported today. This paper writes thus:

"The German situation may be clarified presently by such action. The allied have no intention of allowing anarchy to spread all over Germany. The allies are determined that the Germans shall be in a position to determine the type of government they desire. The German national assembly shall be guaranteed, since the allies must treat with a responsible government in dealing with Germany. It is a mistake to assume that the allies are allowing things to drift, as in Russia. A watch is being kept. Effective action, but necessarily military, will be taken along the right lines, possibly within a week or two."

The Ebert government at Berlin has 40,000 troops under arms in the city, it was learned from the German capital today.

Spartacans Completely Crushed by Government Troops, Berlin Reports

By International News Service.

Berlin, Jan. 13.—The Spartacans were completely defeated today.

The loyal troops recaptured the Tageblatt and Wolff Bureau offices, as well as the Ullstein building.

Thirteen thousand fine troops from the front have arrived in the city to reinforce the loyal soldiers.

The Spartacus uprising at Stuttgart has been crushed and order has been restored.

At Essen the workmen's and soldiers' council is taking the offices of powerful enterprises.

The report of Liebknecht's death in the street fighting Thursday is now said to be untrue. His whereabouts, however, is a mystery.

It was subsequently reported that Liebknecht had been found and arrested.

The Spartacus cause is now regarded as decisively lost.

The severity of the fighting around the Vorwaerts building is shown by the fact that loyal soldiers found 400 dead Spartacans in the structure and many wounded in the cellar.

A state of siege has been proclaimed at Ratisbon, in Bavaria, as a result of an outbreak of disorder there.

Carl Radeck, representative of the Russian Bolsheviki, who has been aiding Karl Liebknecht to organize the Spartacans and spread Bolshevik propaganda, in Berlin, has been arrested on order of Chancellor Ebert.

Dusseldorf, which was reported on Saturday to be in the hands of the Spartacans, has been occupied by troops from the British army of occupation in Germany.

Thirty Spartacans were killed at Dresden last night when they attempted to capture the plant of the Dresdener Nachrichten, a loyal Socialist newspaper. The attack was repulsed by loyal troops who had constructed hidden machine-gun nests.

"Fighting Must Be Stopped," Berlin Spartacans Wire to Confreres in Moscow

By International News Service.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Leaders of the Spartacans in Berlin have sent a telegram to Moscow saying that "fighting must be stopped as soon as possible because the Berlin working classes are not yet ripe for the dictatorship of the proletariat," according to German press reports reaching the State Department this afternoon.

Although the advices do not say to whom the Spartacans' telegram was addressed, this information is considered as virtual proof that the Berlin "Reds" are losing out in the counter revolution by the Bolsheviki rulers at Moscow.

POLICE GET TRACE OF NASHUA, N. H., SLAYER

Nashua, N. H., Jan. 13.—Chief of Police Irving F. Goodwin and Sergeant Dennis Hallisey are searching the lumber camps in the northern country for Wilfred H. Lord, recently indicted for wife murder. They have been in the woods since Saturday morning. They are acting on information given by A. P. Dunn of Conway, N. H., and brought to this city by a nurse who was spending the holidays there. Lord was dressed in blue overalls and was seen the day after Christmas and asked the way to the nearest lumber camp. He formerly worked in Albany, N. H., the town adjoining Conway.

Letters arrived at the Nashua post-office also gave a clew to the police, confirming the story that Lord was in Albany.

HOWARD F. BROCK, editor of the Boston Traveler, who died today of pneumonia at his home in Arlington.

The pneumonia epidemic removed today one of New England's best known newspaper men, Howard F. Brock, editor of the Boston Traveler. Mr. Brock died at 7 a. m. at his home, No. 125 Pleasant street, Arlington.

His illness and death came in the very midst of active work and expectation of many more years of life. He had been editor of the Traveler since November, 1917, and was thirty-nine years old.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mollie Brock, and by two brothers, one living in Everett and one in Groveland.

Mr. Brock was born in West Roxbury on April 22, 1879, and attended the local schools there. His parents wanted him to become a doctor, but youthful desire for adventure led him to run away to sea, and for a time he sailed on coasting vessels. Then he shipped on a two years' voyage with a captain whose crew had deserted because he had starved them.

Finding the former crew's charges against the captain were true, Brock left the ship in the Bay of Fundy. To get back home he stowed away on a Boston-bound ship, but was discovered and shipped back to Halifax. But he was finally sent to Boston when he proved American citizenship.

His first night ashore in Boston he slept on Boston Common. The next day he walked to Taunton and got a job in a mill. "Hungriest months in my life," he afterward said in describing his work as that mill.

But he soon sought advancement and, going to New York, he entered the profession that was to become his life's work. He secured a job as reporter on the Press and Evening Journal. While he was working there, a newspaper was started in Haverhill, and Brock was induced to go there to work.

PEACE SESSION RESUMED AT PARIS

Secrecy That Surrounds Proceedings Rouses Considerable Comment

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he had arranged many details which only he would be able to straighten out. Also, Colonel House is on the friendliest terms with many of the envoys who have only a slight acquaintance with Secretary Lansing.

President Wilson was unwilling to discuss the happenings or even give a hint as to what had transpired.

It is now believed that the first gathering of the conferees of all of the bigger of the allied powers will not be held until later in the week. The Japanese envoys will not arrive until tomorrow, and they may be detained even longer. The Japanese ambassadors to France and England have been consulting after Nippon's interests in the preliminary talks.

IN SESSION FOUR HOURS.

The opening meeting of the council lasted four and one-half hours, practically all of the delegates arriving on time. The courtyard of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs was full of limousines bearing flags on the radiators indicating the various nationalities.

President Wilson's motor car carried a blue flag, indicating that the car bore the commander-in-chief of the United States army and navy, as well as the Stars and Stripes. Marshal Foch's car carried the French tricolor with a golden tassle, proclaiming him as the generalissimo.

As they arrived the envoys hastened through the Red Room into the clock room where old fashioned quill pens and sheaves of memoranda paper had been provided at each place.

Marshal Foch was the first to arrive. He was accompanied by General Weygand, his chief of staff. They, as well as the others, were greeted by Stephen Pichon, the French Foreign Minister.

Following Marshal Foch came Sir Henry Wilson of the British army.

BLISS ARRIVED LATE.

The last arrivals were Premier Clemenceau, President Wilson, Secretary Lansing and Arthur H. Frazier, first secretary to the American embassy in Paris.

Premier Lloyd George, Premier Orlando of Italy, Baron Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister, and A. J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary, followed.

General Tasker H. Bliss, military member of the American commission, was late, arriving at 2:05 o'clock. As he entered an attendant placed his cap and great coat alongside the can and horizon cane of Marshal Foch.

President Wilson laid his silk hat and black overcoat alongside Premier Lloyd George's silk hat. The British statesman had worn a cape, which he continued to wear into the conference room.

Meanwhile newspaper correspondents and photographers had managed to break through the line of servants. The photographers set up their cameras in front of the great double doors of the conference room, ready for a flashlight whenever it opened.

At 2:15 o'clock Premier Clemenceau, looking very fierce with his bristling mustache, stalked from the conference room grimly waving aside a couple of photographers. A second later President Wilson stepped out while the flashlight went off with a bang. Secretary Lansing followed, and while he tarried a moment another salvo was fired by the photographers.

When President Wilson and Secretary Lansing left the foreign minister they had no smiles for the onlookers, and it was evident that they were determined not to compromise the demands which they believed the people of the United States approve.

It is understood that President Wilson told the conferees it would be a good idea to throw light on all of the proceedings of the session and it is possible that the President may make a point of insisting upon this.

In Congress Today

Washington, Jan. 13.—Insurmountable difficulties are in the way of the formation of a League of Nations at this time, Senator Sterling of South Dakota declared in the Senate this afternoon. He advised postponement of the present effort to create such a league. "Definite peace which is to mark the end of the great war, and not a League of Nations, is the goal to which all the talents, learning and experience of the commissioners to negotiate peace should be directed," he said.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The $27,000,000 rivers and harbors appropriations bill was passed by the House this afternoon by a vote of 228 to 91. The bill now goes to the Senate in practically the same form as it was reported by the House Committee. Efforts on the part of Republican members of the House to amend it were repeatedly defeated. The final passage of the measure recommitted was downed 206 to 91.

Washington, Jan. 13.—A pension of $5,000 a year and free use of the mails would be granted the widow of former President Roosevelt under a bill introduced in the Senate this afternoon by Senator Smoot of Utah.

4 HURT IN WAKEFIELD COASTING ACCIDENT

Wakefield, Jan. 13.—Oliver W. Howland, Jr., and Miss Mary Kelley were knocked unconscious, and Robert M. Deane, Jr., and Miss Olive Howe suffered severe bruises when the double runner on which they were coasting down Park avenue today, slewed and ran into a tree. All four were juniors of the Wakefield High school. Young Howland was steering the double runner, when it encountered a particularly glaring sheet of ice and became unmanageable. It collided with the tree at full speed.

U. S. CASUALTIES TO DATE

Killed in action	28,981	62	29,043
Died of disease	17,910	82	17,992
Died of wounds	12,201	0	12,201
Dead from other causes	2,371	0	2,371
Lost at sea	732	0	732
Total dead	62,295	144	62,439
Wounded	131,195	249	131,444
Captured or missing	19,920	20	19,940
Army totals	213,410	413	213,823
Marine totals	5,701	0	5,701
Navy	413	0	413
Grand totals	219,111	413	219,524

Shopping at Home

AMERICAN Want Ads enable you to do a good deal of your shopping at home.

Grandmother's advice used to be, "Use your head and save your heels."

The more time you spend in finding out exactly what you want before you start to the store, the more trouble you save yourself, and the storekeeper when you get there.

By carefully studying the advertisements which The American brings to you every evening you are enabled to shop more quickly and intelligently.

For one difficulty with shopping is making up your mind.

The advertisements in The American contain lists of the best goods and the most attractive bargains, carefully selected by the shopkeepers.

Their experts have gone through their stocks and present to you the best opportunities their store affords. You have the advantage of their advice, and do not have to depend upon what information you can get from some clerk who is not familiar with the entire stock.

In the many stores of the city very often there is one that has just the article you want. Instead of going from place to place seeking bargains, you have them all presented before you in The American.

You can sit at home comfortably, and by consulting your newspaper you can find precisely the store that has what you want.

Most people are not aware of how much care and attention are used by merchants in preparing the copy for their advertisements. As a matter of fact the advertisement is the most reliable and perfect expression of a merchant's business.

When you follow his advertisement, go to him with it clipped out of The American, and show him precisely what you want, you are getting the best service from the merchant with the greatest ease for yourself.

As a result no merchant will talk much about inferior goods, and he will emphasize in his advertising those things he has to sell which will give the greatest satisfaction for the least price.

Those who do the first and better part of their shopping at home by the aid of the advertisements in The Boston Evening American are those to whom shopping is the least trouble and gets the best results.

The favorable judgment of so many who have used
POSTUM
instead of coffee for years must surely weigh with you when you find you should make a change

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HOME SHATTERED BY DISLOYAL SPOUSE SAYS MRS. RATCLIFFE

NEGLECTED FOR GIRL, SHE SAYS

Moonlight Bathing More Attractive Than Home; Accuses Heiress

"There is one thing a woman has the unalienable right to ask of life and marriage—and that is the loyalty of her husband; the loyalty of her husband in sickness and in health. For so they promised each other."

This was the way young Mrs. Alice L. Ratcliffe, wife of James Walter Ratcliffe, defines her position in the suit she has recently brought against Miss Dorothy Smith of No. 14 Dana street, Cambridge, whom Mrs. Ratcliffe accuses, together with her family, of alienating the affections of Ratcliffe, her husband.

While Ratcliffe ransacked the Ratcliffe apartment following the fire at No. 1483 Beacon street, Brookline, packing up his papers and other effects, accumulated through four years of marriage, his young wife, distraught and ill, spoke truisms of life and matrimony that she has learned at first hand, as anguished new discoveries, these last two years. As she explained:

"Great trouble, such as mine, when in dire distress, and grave illness of body, you find somebody you gave up everything you had for, the enemy from whom you must protect yourself, such trouble makes a woman think. She remembers things that happened, from the very first. And so do I remember.

"Four years ago Mr. Ratcliffe and I were married. All our friends, even our casual neighbors, admired my husband, and envied me all the happiness that was mine then.

THEN CAME JOY AND SORROW.

"The baby came along. There was illness before he came. But the most exacting, imperious, wife could never ask for greater kindness than Mr. Ratcliffe showed me then. He insisted on my going everywhere with him. He took me, looking out, looking out for me at every turn.

"Then the baby came and, in close succession, I had illness after illness and operation after operation. We had a cottage at Nahant next to the cottage of Miss Smith and her aunt, and mother where the trouble began. That girl fell in love with my husband and exercised every power she had to win him. I have waited all day for medicine which he delayed with Miss Smith, and at last, on coming home, forgot to bring it.

"At Nahant I have got up off my sick bed, where I had lain for weeks, to go to the beach at midnight and ask him to come home.

"They, Miss Smith and he, would be in moonlight bathing, together, alone. And when I remonstrated, abuse was all I got from my husband. Abuse and urging me to go home and attend to my own affairs.

"This is basic, in marriage, a thing from which no wife is exempt. I am the an old wife of fifty years or a young wife of two years. She can stand anything for the man she has put her fate with—pain, even threatened lifelong invalidism, she can stand naively, she can gladly stand poverty, if need be. At any time during these last two years I would have cravingly accepted my husband taking a pittance of $10 a week, if that $10 had been for me, that and his loyalty. But it was not.

AN UNEQUAL STRUGGLE

"Now having given up the unequal struggle I have gone home to live with my mother, while upstairs the last chapter is drawing to a close as Mr. Ratcliffe packs up everything he has told me he would pack up before he left our lives for good and as he packs I remember all the scenes, all the pleadings I have made through to keep him where he belonged—at home with the baby and me.

"I remember how I have called him up on the telephone, and begged him for our boy's sake to come home.

"I remember how I have even gone and got him, how once, having got him to the door of our house, he turned and left, without seeing the baby. And I remember how time after time, having come across evidence of automobile rides, and trips my husband took with Miss Smith, I have called up her mother and told her.

"And I remember the only answer, the only satisfaction I ever got from Miss Smith or Miss Smith's family—abusive demands not to bother them again, or, later, the telephone receiver banged up while I still spoke.

"So, naturally, having suffered what I have, I have come to my conclusions. One is to pick up the poor torn threads of my life where they are, and piece them together again, getting what happiness I can from life with my little boy, and I have wondered with amazement.

QUESTION OF HAPPINESS.

"For this is the question I ask myself morning, noon and night. This is the question—how, in the name of simple justice, do Miss Smith and Mr. Ratcliffe expect they can be happy, in the face of my unhappiness? How can any girl think she can live happily with a man who deserted his wife? What a man has done once, he can do again.

"One broken marriage vow, one broken pledge, is simple earnest of another.

"And my last question, that I ask myself, in all the long hours I have to think is this: 'How can any man hope to be happy with a woman who tramples ever decency to go to him? How can one woman ever expect to build her life's happiness on the wreck of the happiness of another woman?'

"She cannot, she will not. Unfaith begets unfaith, and disloyalty, disloyalty. And so I have decided to let the courts render for my son and my daughter became acquainted with Mr. Ratcliffe.

PRINCIPALS IN $50,000 ALIENATION SUIT

Mrs. Alice L. Ratcliffe, who is suing Miss Dorothy Smith, Cambridge miss, in an alienation case, and Mrs. Ratcliffe's husband, James W. Ratcliffe, and Baby James W.

Miss Dorothy Smith, defendant with others of her family, in $50,000 alienation suit.

"Absolutely False Statements," Declares Mother of Miss Smith

By ELIZABETH ELLAM.

"Utterly untrue," reads the statement issued by Mrs. Alice L. Ratcliffe against my little girl is absolutely false!' There is not a word of truth in it."

In her comfortable Cambridge home Mrs. Alice Smith, mother of pretty, sixty-two-year-old Dorothy Smith replied for her daughter to the charges preferred against the girl by Mrs. Ratcliffe, of No. 1483 Beacon street, Brookline, in the latter's suit for $50,000 for the alienation of the affections of her husband, James Walter Ratcliffe.

In her home, and later, in the office of her counsel, Major Thomas L. Walsh, Mrs. Smith made firm denial.

"My girl is a pretty, sweet little girl, and her heart is nearly broken over the affair," she continued.

"The unfortunate circumstance is that we knew Mr. Ratcliffe, although we have not even spoken to him for nearly a year. He was employed as a salesman for a motor truck firm of which my brother-in-law, Mr. Henderson, is manager. Mrs. Henderson is my sister. It was through them and through Mr. Henderson's son, who is now in the service, that Mr. Ratcliffe became acquainted with the Hendersons that my daughter happened to ride up from Nahant to business in Boston with Mr. Ratcliffe a few times. But every time that she did so her sweetheart, Charles E. Phillips, was with her. He knew of her acquaintance with the man, and she never took that ride upon alone. There was never a question of 'joy rides' or 'midnight beach parties,' or anything at all in connection with her acquaintance with Mr. Ratcliffe.

"My little girl has been engaged for some time to Ensign Charles E. Phillips, U. S. N., and the engagement was announced on Saturday.

"We had not meant to announce it until the children were more nearly ready to be married—but on account of the suit and the publicity we thought it would better be done at once.

"That's all there is to it. My little girl had plenty of friends of her age, she didn't have to play around with Mr. Ratcliffe. Personally, I never saw Mrs. Ratcliffe in my life."

To the question as to how her own name came to be mentioned in the suit—for Mrs. Ratcliffe has named Mrs. Smith and the Hendersons in a conspiracy to defraud her of the love of her husband—Mrs. Smith turned, with the quiet dignity that is her most marked characteristic, and said in reply to the question whether she had encouraged any such friendship: "Do I look like the sort of woman that would encourage such a thing?"

Major Thomas L. Walsh, for his client, outlined the purpose and intention of the suit.

DEFENDED BY COUNSEL.

"I suppose the purpose for which this suit was brought has now been accomplished through publicity, and whatever injury such law suits bring to these defendants, whose own side is not set forth and whose standing and reputation in the community may be well known.

"The fact that the plaintiff, who claims her husband's affections have been alienated, is still living, or was living up to the date of this publication, with her husband, ought to be evidence enough of the intention of the parties and conclusive proof that there are no moral rights involved in these cases.

"Whatever possible cause of action the plaintiff may have against Miss Dorothy Smith, who everybody agrees is a young woman of excellent character and absolutely innocent of any wrong purpose, it is too far fetched to bring in other parties against whom there is not the slightest hope or possibility of a verdict, because there is or can be no allegation involving them in this case.

"In simple justice to the parties, it is really suggested that judgment be suspended until these cases are heard. We shether any suggestion made to the newspapers of sensational disclosures of innocent and reputable people under the guise of a lawsuit, I can only carry out my clients' request that not one cent will be paid in settlement, although they be aggrieved by the publicity they must suffer until final vindication by a jury. This is one of those cases which gives litigious plaintiffs the notoriety which they seek."

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HACKSTANDS OF BOSTON MAY BE TAXED

Finance Commission Also Urges City Be Paid for Billboard and Sign Privileges

Following a study of the subject of new sources of revenue for the city, the Finance Commission today sent Mayor Peters a long report on the matter. The commission's recommends:

1—That the city take legal steps necessary to establish an annual payment for the privilege of erecting and maintaining billboards, signboards and electric signs.

2—That either the assessing department assess hackstands in the city at valuable property right, or the city take immediate steps to place all hackstands under public authority.

3—That the police department be given authority to license animal-drawn vehicles of all descriptions.

4—That the Legislature be petitioned to apportion a part of the State automobile fees to the city of Boston.

The commission says in regard to hackstands:

"On account of the lack of information as to the amount of money paid by the owners of hackstands to the proprietors of hotels, it has been impossible to set down the amount of profit to the hotels from this activity, but it has been stated by a former member of the street laying-out department that the city of Boston was losing approximately $25,000 by not taxing these stands."

Regarding the licensing of horse-drawn vehicles the commission says: "The reports of the police commissioner for the year 1917 show that thirteen persons were killed and 345 were injured by horse-drawn vehicles. The licensing of such vehicles will not only tend to greater care on the part of their owners and drivers, but also any surplus income over the cost of licensing will be an offset against the expenditures of the city for police and hospital service due to accidents on the streets, and for the repair of highways."

GREENWOOD RESOLVE FAVORS NEW ARMY PLAN

Resolutions favoring the bill introduced in Congress by Congressman Green of Iowa, provides for an army of occupation, and discharge of enlisted men not included in the regular army, were filed today in the Legislature by Representative Fred P. Greenwood of Everett. Congressman Green's bill would permit soldiers now abroad, who are not in the regular army, to return to the United States, and would be filled by volunteer enlistment in the new army of occupation. The period of enlistment for men for the period of occupation or not exceeding three years, and only such men as are eligible for the regular army would be accepted.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION CALLS FOR MORE EGGS

Can you make two eggs grow where only one grew before? That's what the Federal Food Administration asks of poultry keepers in view of the urgent need of increasing the supply. According to the administration the storage stocks of eggs are 25 per cent. less than a year ago and are rapidly dwindling. Bakers need to depend on Chinese dried eggs for a large proportion of supplies. Importation of these stopped last February, and bakers have had to be supplied out of the national stock of storage eggs.

SKIDDING FIRE AUTO DAMAGED AT MELROSE

Combination A of the Melrose Fire Department skidded on the ice at Main and Melrose streets, Melrose, today, and turned completely over, damaging the apparatus. The men were unhurt.

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To the Public:

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BACK BAY ARMY OFFICERS HOME FROM FRANCE

Major Proctor and Captain Whitney Among 106 Who Returned to New York Today

By JAMES F. LANEHART.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 13.—Three days overdue on account of a heavy storm, the American transport Abangarez, from Bordeaux, France, arrived here today. She carried a load of explosives and 106 casual officers, enlisted men and army nurses.

All of the eighty-six officers had escaped without wounds and will be able to return to their homes at once.

Major James H. Proctor of No. 273 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, returned after five months' service with the quartermaster's corps at Chalons-sur-Marne, where he was assistant quartermaster of the 30th Division. He said it was extremely hard during heavy fighting to determine how many men they had to feed, but they always managed to go it by figuring out the "long end."

NORWOOD MEN RETURN.

Two officers of the chemical warfare service, whose homes are in Norwood, Mass., also returned. They are Major E. A. Loomis and Lieutenant Francis Willett. Major Loomis had been nearly a year stationed at Tours, where he dispensed gases used in battle. Lieutenant Willett spent fifteen months supervising the manufacture of filter jackets for box respirators and gas masks.

Captain L. F. Whitney of No. 228 Marlboro street, who has been for a year engaged in ground work for the American ace service, declared that throughout the latter part of the offensive the allies had a vast superiority over the Germans in the number of planes and the daring of their fliers. The American anti-aircraft batteries were also of great effect against the German fliers," he declared.

Captain B. H. Hopkins of Ayer, Mass., also returned today. Captain Hopkins went overseas last June, and was assigned to Base Hospital No. 58 at Neuilles. Recently he was made chief of the medical service there, following Dr. Wilbur's intervention, which ended the three-day strike of the harbor employes, prepared to hand down an award in the dispute which would be backed by the government.

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Tailors Will Evade Military Cut in New Fashion

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 13.—The prevalent note in new fashions for well-attired men will be a sharp reversion from anything suggestive of military tendency, according to the advance delegates to the National Association of Merchant Tailors of America, which meets here January 28.

"Men returning from the service are uncompromisingly opposed to anything that reminds them of the time they spent on the march or in the trenches," Robert Stewart, Jr., of Philadelphia, chairman of the convention, declared. There is a wonderful demand for "evening clothes" now that he braiding a harvest into the pockets of the tailors and making up for the lean days of the war, arriving delegates say.

U. S. MAY SEIZE CRAFT IN PORT OF NEW YORK

Boat Owners Refuse to Deal With War Labor Board in Strike Settlement

By International News Service.

New York, Jan. 13.—Seizure of all harbor craft in the port of New York by the United States government became more than a possibility this afternoon, when counsel for the boat owners declared his clients would not deal with the National War Labor Board as it is now constituted in arriving at a decision in the controversy over the demands of the marine workers for an eight-hour day and increased wages.

The National War Labor Board met here following President Wilson's intervention, which ended the three-day strike of the harbor employes, prepared to hand down an award in the dispute which would be backed by the government.

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1,630 JOBS OPEN IN STATE OF MAINE

Woodsmen, Carpenters and Ship Workers In Demand, Says Employment Service

Augusta, Me., Jan. 14.—Reports received at the main office of the United States Employment Service for this State, show the following orders for help unfilled and impossible to fill locally:

Portland—Nine hundred and sixty-four woodsmen.

Bath—One boilermaker, two drillers, four packers, 150 reamers, 158 holters, 10 erectors' helpers, 25 heaters, five chippers and caulkers, 25 passers, 100 laborers, two acetylene welders, 20 ship carpenters, 12 laborers, two moulders, first-class fitters, one coppersmith.

Lewiston—Fifty woodsmen.

Houlton—Seventy-nine experienced woodsmen.

Biddeford—Three sales girls (French speaking preferred); two house girls.

Rockland—Five house carpenters to learn joinering.

East Boothbay—Six ship fitters, three chippers and caulkers, six riveters, two drillers.

The department has also received applications for work as follows:

Rockland—One clerk, one mechanical engineer, one garment presser.

Biddeford—One teacher (female).

Bath—One millwright, one traveling salesman, one typist, two cooks.

Portland—Nine teachers.

Machias—Two teachers, two fliers, one scaler.

Bangor (all soldiers)—One scaler, two truck drivers, one collector, one chemist, one cook, one stenographer, one assistant electrical engineer, one sheet metal worker, five clerks, one painter, one waiter, one automobile repairman, one automobile mechanic, one hotel clerk, one hardware clerk.

"Secret Life of the Czarina," an intimate tale of the early loves, loveless bridal, intrigue and empire-wrecking of the Russian Empress, beginning in the Boston American, Monday, January 20.

SOUTH BOSTON FIRE DESTROYS WAR SHELLS

Fire practically destroyed the roof of the "B" plant of the S. A. Woods Machine Company in the Old Colony avenue section of South Boston, endangering a score of workmen, who were forced to flee for their lives after unsuccessfully fighting the fire.

The flames, which destroyed more than 150,000 feet of roofing, set shells under construction, threatened for a time to spread to several adjoining buildings, but were held by quick work on the part of the firemen were soon under control.

The structure, of glass and cement, burned rapidly, aided by the fact that the roof was of tar paper. The total damage is estimated at $100,000.

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$35 Finest Velours, $39.75 Pom Poms, $35 Furtex, $39.75 Finest Fur-Trimmed Coats. The most wonderful collection ever offered at this price. New belted models, semi-belted with fur or plain adjustable collars.

$34.90

$45 Silvertone Coats, $55 Bolivia Coats, $55 Crystal Cloth Coats, $50 Velours and Pom Poms in Castor, Congo, Poilu Blue, Damson—trimmed with Hudson Seal, Nutria, Raccoon, Skunk Opossum. Silk lined and warmly interlined. Variety to choose from.

Other wonderful groups for tomorrow, $19.90, $29.90 and up.

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SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' 'ADS' FOR BUSINESS POSITIONS FREE IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN

The Boston American has opened its "Situations Wanted" columns to American soldiers, sailors and marines free of charge. Thousands of our boys are returning. Many of them are under the impression that it will be hard for them to resume the positions they occupied before they went away. The American will see that it is not hard. If you wear a uniform, write your advertisement, go to the nearest office of the Boston American and request its publication without cost.

If you are in civilian clothes, all you need is your discharge papers. They will secure publication of your advertisement in the "Situations Wanted" columns of the Boston American. Advertisements accepted at Boston American Office, 80 Summer Street, and Sunday Advertiser-American Office, Little Building, 82 Boylston Street.

BROADEN WORK OF "SOLDIERS' FRIEND"

American Will See Justice Is Done Service Men and Families

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charged from the armed service in securing their old positions, or new ones.

4—To list employers ready to hire ex-soldiers, the maimed included.

5—To secure special attention in a medical way through doctors and institutions for the men discharged from the armed forces.

6—To work for the quick discharge of soldiers, with six months' pay in advance.

7—To help relatives locate men in the service.

8—To hurry the settlement of allotments and pay where delays have occurred.

9—To furnish information of any sort consistent, with the nature of "The Soldiers' Friend."

10—To aid in the formation of associations of veterans of the great war, to list those already formed and to assist them in working out their plans.

11—To locate lodging places for visiting service men in this city and suburbs.

12—To give legal and seek personal aid where soldiers' families are threatened with dispossess proceedings or are otherwise in difficulties.

"The Soldiers' Friend" will be prepared to extend aid night and day. The managers of the Hearst papers regard its legal bureau as the most important feature. Lawyers will be constantly ready to go into the courts in behalf of soldiers, sailors and marines. Every effort will be made to facilitate proceedings.

The scope of "The Soldiers' Friend" will be limited only by the requirements for assistance. The plans with which the department starts will be augmented day by day. Every man in, or honorably discharged from, the armed service and every reader who feels an interest in the soldiers, sailors and marines is urged to send in suggestions for the enlargement of the work.

WRITE THE AMERICAN.

As soon as arrangements can be made the addresses and telephone numbers of the legal and other offices of "The Soldiers' Friend" will be published. Meanwhile, those with information or questions are urged to write the department in care of the nearest Hearst paper. The addresses of the Hearst papers are: The New York American, New York city; the Boston American, Boston, Mass.; the Atlanta Georgian, Atlanta, Ga.; the Chicago Examiner, Chicago, Ill.; the San Francisco Examiner, San Francisco, Cal.; the Los Angeles Examiner, Los Angeles, Cal.

In asking that communications be sent the nearest Hearst paper, "The Soldiers' Friend" department of the Hearst newspapers desires to divide up the work by localities insofar as possible.

It is realized that a question asked the San Francisco Examiner may require an answer based on New York information, and that a question asked the Atlanta Georgian may require Boston information.

To meet this situation, all branches of "The Soldiers' Friend" will be in constant telegraphic communication.

ADVICE FOR ALL.

While "The Soldiers' Friend" wishes to publish all many questions and answers, as possible, as they are of wide interest, letters marked "confidential" and questions requiring secrecy will be answered by mail.

The American depends upon your co-operation to make "The Soldiers' Friend" a success. It is working for you and for those in whom you are interested. If you know of an error that should be rectified, or of an injustice that has been committed, if you know of any soldier, sailor or marine who needs friendly aid or advice, write the department in the Hearst paper nearest you—write it today. Do not wait till tomorrow.

"The Soldiers' Friend" wins as to start at once fighting the battles of the men who donned Uncle Sam's uniform to fight the battles of the nation. All the influence, the power and the prestige of the entire Hearst news organization stands at the disposal of the men in the army, navy and marine corps.

Soldiers' Friend Replies to Army Questions

Readers of the Boston American are following with daily growing interest the answers of the Soldiers' Friend to queries of every nature relative to men in the service and their affairs.

The American will publish information of especial interest to soldiers and sailors, their families and their sweethearts. Questions concerning service men and their families will be answered promptly. Advice on claims, discharges, etc., will be given, as will information concerning hotels and places of entertainment.

All persons desiring to entertain soldiers or sailors in hotels, restaurants or private homes may invite them through the Boston American, stating the number of guests desired.

Address all communications to the Soldiers' Friend, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

Inquirers must give their names and addresses if they desire to have questions answered. These will not be published if the writers so request. The pseudonym or initials which they suggest will always be used in answers published in this column, but the writer's name and address is required, also.

MRS. CHARLES SABEN, North Easton—Your husband is at Bordeaux. As you do not name his present unit, I cannot say when it will return.

AN ANXIOUS SISTER, Worcester—Company O, 21st Engineers, not designated for convoy. Have no information at present as to their whereabouts.

A SOLDIER'S SISTER—Battery D, 47th Regiment, C. A. C., is awaiting convoy home. Company M, 320th Infantry, is in the 82d Division and not designated for return.

ANXIOUS FATHER — Battery E, 56th Artillery, Coast Artillery Corps, is at the port of embarkation awaiting early convoy home.

SOLDIER'S SWEETHEART — Co. B, 104th Infantry, 26th Division, Tronchoy, has not yet been designated for return.

L. M. T.—Co. C, 6th Engineers, are now on their way home or scheduled to return.

W. C. S.—Battery A, 54th Regiment, C. A. C., is expected to be designated for convoy soon.

MOTHER—Co. E, 318th Engineers, 6th Division, just reported at Ancerville.

A. A.—Ask the Red Cross to secure information for you.

A SOLDIER'S BROTHER—It has not been announced if the 22d Aero Squad is in the army of occupation, and as yet they have not been assigned for early convoy.

AN ANXIOUS SOLDIER—It is not known yet if the Siberian Division at Camp Devens will be discharged. The "S. O. S." is the Service of Supply.

MRS. CECILIA GOUDET—The 5th Regiment, U. S. M. C., Headquarters Company, Pioneers, are with the 2d Division in the Army of Occupation, Germany, and not designated for early convoy.

ANXIOUSLY AWAITING REPLY—Company F, 14th Engineers, are at Rutenlout and have not been assigned for early convoy.

M. J. T.—The 466th Motor Truck Company 417 has not yet been assigned for return.

F. S., ROXBURY—Your brother probably is preparing to come home. The 6th Division is not coming home. However, its casuals may return.

MRS. A. J. S., of LEOMINSTER (Company L, 306th Infantry, 77th Division, have not been designated for early convoy.

A FRIEND—The 453d Aero Supply Squadron is located at Tours, and has not been designated for early convoy.

M. L. K., OF BOSTON—Battery B, 48th Regiment, C. A. C., is at the port of embarkation and awaiting early convoy.

H. S. BOSTON—The 71st Regiment, C. A. C., is at a French port awaiting transport home.

MOTHER—The 302d Infantry is with the 26th Division and has not yet been assigned for early convoy, but may come before end of Winter. This is not official, however.

SISTER—Company K, 325th Infantry, is with the 82d Division at Le Mans and not assigned for early return.

SOLDIER FRIEND—The 76ist Engineers Headquarters Company is not assigned to any division and as yet have not been designated for return.

Mrs. C. H.—Battery A, 320th Field Artillery, is with the 82d Division and has not been assigned to early convoy.

ANXIOUS MOTHER—The 51ith Infantry, Company F, is with the 13th Division and not assigned for early convoy.

AN ANXIOUS MOTHER—The 7th French Mortar Battalion is due at Newport News on U. S. S. Georgia. The commander is Captain George Sawtelle.

W. E. H.—Battery C, 11th Field Artillery, is with the 2d Division in the Army of Occupation. Time for return not designated.

A. R. OF BRIGHTON—Please give full address of what you call "Old Ninth Battalion."

N. W. H. of DORCHESTER—Headquarters Company, 6th Regiment, C. A. C., is designated for early convoy home.

AN ANXIOUS SISTER—The 26th Infantry, 5th Division, is with the Army of Occupation and has not been designated for early convoy. Battery D, 307th Artillery, C. A. C., is at Brest, awaiting orders home.

BROTHER—The 305th Field Artillery is with the 78th Division at Senoy, and has not been designated for early convoy.

INQUIRER—The 7th French Mortar Battalion is due at Newport News on the Battleship Kansas.

MISS A. C.—Medical Corps, 27th Division, American Expeditionary Forces, are possibly with division not yet assigned for convoy home.

INQUIRER—This is the mailing address of Co. F, 46th Infantry: Co. E, 46th Infantry, 5th Division, A. P. O. 746, American Expeditionary Forces.

CONSTANT READER—Co. A, 14th Railway Engineers, are not assigned to any division and have not been designated for early convoy.

WOMEN RELIEF CORPS "TAG DAY" SATURDAY

For the first time in forty years the Women's Relief Corps of this State is to make direct appeal to the public for financial aid. The state Corps has named its first "Tag Day" next Saturday, January 18. The object is to raise $50,000, to be used to relieve suffering caused by the war.

The W. R. C. is the efficient auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, has labored, ever since it was organized after the Civil War, for the relief of Civil War veterans. It has distributed nearly $3,000,000 in this work. Arrangements for "Tag Day" are in charge of Mrs. Agnes H. Parker, department assistant inspector-commander, and a committee of fifty Greater Boston women.

"SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious, fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.—Advertisement.

14 AGENCIES ARE OPENED TODAY FOR FREE ADS

Soldiers and Sailors Seeking Situations Are Invited to Make Needs Known

Soldiers, sailors and marines wishing to insert free "ads" for situations in the columns of the American may now have these advertisements accepted at agencies established throughout Massachusetts, and as far away as Bangor, Me. Fourteen new agencies are established today. Employers are watching the move. Sands, Taylor & Wood Company today sent in an offer to employ two men at baling at No. 38 Lewis Wharf, the wages being $30 a week.

The new agencies are: Max L. Katz, No. 20 Jackson street, Lowell; North Shore News Company, No. 25 Central square, Lynn; Samuel L. Black, No. 75 Franklin street, Lawrence; Moses Edelman, No. 45 Washington street, Haverhill; Flannery Bros., Moody street, Waltham; L. P. Clifton, South street, Waltham; Tracey Bros., Willow street, Waltham; Clare's News Agency, No. 22 Hammond street, Bangor, Me.; W. H. Clarke Company, No. 264 Summer street, Newport, R. I.; Morris Kopo, Pawtucket, R. I.; J. W. Black, No. 39 W. Central street, Manchester, N. H.; Chisholm Bros., Portland, Me.; H. Gradkowitz (City News Agency), opposite City Hall, Harlington, Vt.; A. F. Goldsmith Company, No. 74 Front street, Salem.

DONT TAKE DOWN YOUR SERVICE FLAGS YET

War Camp Community Service Suggests Programs for a Gradual Demobilization

Formal demobilization of the service flags at stated times, beginning with and following Washington's Birthday, is proposed. The War Camp Community Service pleads:

"Don't take down your service flags yet!"

"Don't keep them up until they gradually disappear, weather-beaten, tattered, unnoticed!"

Instead of taking them down one by one, as the boys are demobilized, the service stars that have been their symbols in mansion and in hovel, it is proposed to have the first "demobilization of the service flag" in the Washington's Birthday season, probably on February 21, with exercises in workshops and institutions. Sunday, February 23, is suggested as the day for churches to demobilize their flags.

Only the stars should be demobilized which represent death or discharge from the services. Service bars may be placed across the stars representing the boys who have come home. The stars for men still overseas may be left untouched for the present. The stars turned to gold may be made into a permanent service flag to be known as a "gold glory."

Such a program, with exercises to include the national soldiers' community singing, brief addresses by service men, with silent tributes to the soldier dead, is being suggested to the authorities and all others by the War Camp Community Service, whose headquarters at No. 846 Little Building, telephone Beach 2350, will be ready with song leaders and suggestions.

BOLSHEVISM TO RULE WORLD, SAYS EASTMAN

New York, Jan. 13.—Bolshevism is the only thing that can solve the problems of the world, according to Max Eastman, editor of the Liberator, who was released only last week from charges of unpatriotic activities. "Bolshevism and the Bolshevist will rule the world," Eastman told an audience here today.

ERZBERGER OFF TO ASK ARMISTICE EXTENSION

Berlin, Jan. 12, via Copenhagen, Jan. 13.—Secretary of State Matthias Erzberger left today for Treves to negotiate a continuation of the armistice on behalf of Germany.

France, Not England, Denies Passport to Dublin Mayor

Dublin, Jan. 13. — It has developed that the request of the Lord Mayor of Dublin for passports to Paris, where he intended personally to invite President Wilson to the Irish capital, was turned down not by the British Foreign Office, as had been believed, but by the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

When the Lord Mayor's request was referred to the French authorities, as is the customary procedure, the French Ministers' reply is reported to have been that "friends of Germany are not welcome in France, especially while France is honoring the most friendly President of the most friendly republic."

AMERICAN LABOR PARTY BACKS UP WILSON

New York, Jan. 12.—The American labor party of New York was organized here by delegates said to represent 482 organizations and 1,000 trade unionists.

The platform adopted favors Seldon Wilson's fourteen points, self-determination for Ireland, a 47-hour week, equal pay for women, guarantee of a wage to every adult worker based on the actual cost of supporting a family, give persons, provision for soldiers, sailors, munition workers and others similarly affected by the end of the war, and government insurance for all citizens.

The new party went on record as opposing prohibition, universal training in time of peace and declaring of war without a referendum to the people. Removal of war time restraints and movement of troops among communities and nations is sought.

"There should be no subjects, subject races, subject points, subject classes or a subject state," the platform declares.

MAJOR HIGGINSON TO BE OPERATED UPON AGAIN

Major Henry L. Higginson, resting comfortably at the Massachusetts General Hospital following an operation, according to his physician, Dr. E. L. Young of James Plain. His condition is not critical, but his recovery is looked for slowly. It is stood that Major Higginson will have to undergo another operation later.

'Independent' Farmer's Property Destroyed in Milk Fight

Oddensburg, N. Y., Jan. 12.—The far reaching influence of the fight between producers and distributors of milk is believed to have been responsible for a visit to the barns of Chester D. Averill, an independent farmer and milk producer, living on the Morristown road. Milk was dumped on the floor, the electric wires were cut and the bulbs broken. A rudely worded sign warned the farmer to stop delivering milk to the frontier station of the Sheffield Farms Company. Averill, who is a nephew of Mrs. E. H. Harriman, widow of the railroad magnate, has lodged a complaint with Assistant District Attorney William D. Ingram.

They held a conference with other farmers who had suffered like depredations and Ingram declared John Doe proceedings would be started to run down those responsible for the vandalism. Averill is not a member of the Dairymen's League.

SINN FEINERS TO NAME PEACE DELEGATES SOON

Dublin, Jan. 13.—The Sinn Feiners, it is learned on good authority, propose to announce delegates to the peace conference shortly, although little hope is entertained that they will receive passports to go to Paris.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

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Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

MUST ENCIRCLE GERMANY WITH PRO-ALLY STATES, SAYS DR. DILLON

ONLY WAY TO PREVENT WAR OF REVENGE

Dr. E. J. Dillon, one of the world's greatest journalists, will report the peace proceedings, upon which the eyes of the world are now centred, for New England readers exclusively through the columns of the Boston American. Dr. Dillon will write upon the preliminaries leading up to the main Peace Conference and upon the Versailles sessions.

By DR. E. J DILLON.

Special Cable to the Boston American and Philadelphia Public Ledger.
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Paris, Jan. 13.—The tide of world events is still sluggish, and day follows day without bringing more stirring intelligence of the progress toward permanent peace than the arrival in Paris of English locksmiths and secret service men for the purpose of preventing leakage of interesting tidings whenever the onward movement is in swing.

DR. E. J. DILLON

Premier Lloyd George, having reached Paris at last, attended the Supreme War Council. The Minister of Foreign Affairs had to liquidate the military situation. The Italian Premier has postponed his return in order to meet his British colleagues, despite the ministerial crisis in Italy.

Today the prelude to the conference commences with an exchange of views, on the subject of procedure.

One knotty point that is exercising the ingenuity of serious politicians and press men is whether, when a technical topic arises in the assembly and one of the plenipotentiaries summons his expert adviser he must immediately quit the room while the technician is talking, lest the settled number of representatives should be exceeded, or whether the expert may take an armchair and sit down beside him, despite the obvious violation of the rule that each great power shall dispose of no more than five plenipotentiaries.

HOPE TO SETTLE PROBLEM.

The matter is receiving the careful attention of professional diplomats, who have well grounded hopes of settling this delicate problem in harmony with those broad and liberal principles which are winning wider recognition every day.

Only when this matter is satisfactorily decided will the general program of deliberations be laid before the plenipotentiaries. It is conjectured that the first point to be discussed is the principle on which territorial resettlement will be determined.

Judging by appearances the two alternative courses are conceivable, the principle of a league of nations as announced by Wilson and the principle of legitimate guarantees as advocated by certain European statesmen.

The number of influential personages who favor the latter system is larger than the public imagines, and the arguments they adduce in support of their thesis are much more forcibly put than those adduced by their opponents, some of whom seem inclined to hesitate and content themselves with half measures, or even with a mixture of both methods.

I have had long discussions with the champions of legitimate guarantees against future aggression who, of course also adhere to Wilson's project, which they endeavor to combine deftly with their own. What they say is this. Having waged war against war, it behooves us to secure the fruits of victory and to employ them to prevent future wars.

CAN PREVENT WAR OF REVENGE.

Only if we succeed in this shall we have triumphed. Now it is certain we cannot succeed if we leave festering sores in the body politic on vanquished states and yet do what we may, these painful wounds will not cicatrize for generations.

Unwelcome conclusion is so obvious that no statesmen, however lofty his viewpoint, can blink at it. It must therefore enter for a good deal into our calculations and arrangements. If, then, Germany must smart under the lasting consequences of defeat, the world has but one efficacious preventive against a war of revenge which else and other discontented peoples may combine to wage in a more or less distant future and that is to encircle her with states linked to Allies by material interests which are the strongest of ties. To create these interests should be the principal care of the conference in modifying frontiers.

A lesson from the last century's history forbids the annexation of alien territory but enjoins the exercise of the strictest justice in restoring to every nation despoiled by the Teuton in the past all the lands of which they were forcibly deprived.

Application of this maxim entails the restitution to Denmark of at least northern and central Schleswig, to Belgium of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, certain Prussian cantons like Malmedy, Cronebourg, Nupen and others, the full possession of the river Escaut and all Limburg, including the city of Maestricht.

Holland would receive compensation in the district of Gelder, where the language of the people is Dutch.

The new frontiers of France, Italy, Czecho-Slovakia, Roumania and Poland would be determined on similar lines.

MOMENTOUS POLISH PROBLEM.

One eminent personage said:

"Only in this way can the difficulty be satisfactorily met which confronts us in dealing with the momentous Polish problem. The creation of an independent Poland is vital to Europe. Although no enthusiastic admirer of the Slav peoples, I cannot ignore nor belittle the role which will devolve on Poland in a regenerated Europe.

"This role pre-supposes a self-contained nation, with Danzig and Hinterland as an outlet to the sea, but this displacement of Germany's frontiers involves the separation of East Prussia and its two million inhabitants of German speech from the rest of Germany. Such an arrangement smacks of injustice, but in politics, whether statesmen are guided by ethnographical, racial, strategic or financial principles, they cannot hope for clean balances. There is always inevitably some residue.

"They who are recognized as the regulators of Europe must be satisfied and the Polish nation of some twenty-five millions crippled and paralyzed, or nine times twenty-five millions, who constitute one of the most promising safeguards of the future peace, must be endowed with the wherewithal to form a stable state, capable of economic development and progress.

"If Germany be favored Poland will be economically dependent on her, and all the Allied endeavors will redound to the strengthening of Germany's position in Eastern Europe. Theories are respectable in their own domain, which is that of science, but they should not be pitted against the hard realities of every day life."

FRENCH TO PLAN DETAILS.

I record these views as essential to a faithful picture of the physiognomy of the conference on the eve of its getting to work. It is believed that the French government, which has been laboring hard at certain details, will lay a rounded program before the plenipotentiaries and the meetings will be fixed by these four times weekly so as to allow the foreign delegates to pay flying visits to their own countries and get into touch with their colleagues.

Details which I have a good reason to regard as worked out by the French experts turn exclusively upon the readjustment on the frontiers to the results of the war and the requirements of peace. Respecting other momentous matters, such as economic and financial arrangements, nothing has been settled, and yet these problems bristle with difficulties.

Petition to the Secretary of War to Send Soldiers Home With Six Months' Pay

Sign this petition, get your friends to sign it, and forward it to the Boston American, 80 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

To the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War:

The undersigned respectfully urge you to return to their homes as soon as possible the soldiers who have accomplished so brilliantly every object America had in the war.

We urge, also, that you obtain the necessary authority to pay these men their military wages for six months, or for some sufficient period after their discharge from the army until they can obtain useful and remunerative employment.

We urge this as an act of simple justice by a great nation to its heroes.

(Signed)

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Paste a sheet of paper on this for additional signatures.

RELATIVES OF SOLDIER SUICIDE ARE SOUGHT

Fruitless efforts were made today at the army headquarters, No. 99 Chauncy street, to locate relatives of Master Signal Electrician Edward L. Eaton, who, in a fit of temporary aberration of mind, committed suicide Saturday night by jumping through a window of the fourth story of the building at No. 99 Chauncy street. Telegrams have been sent to Texas and Nebraska in search of his relatives. Rev. Dr. M. C. Lovelace of Tremont Temple offered his services as minister to take care of the funeral if the War Department so advised.

VERMONT SOLDIER IS DEAD OF PNEUMONIA

Thomas B. Hanna of Burlington, Vt., inspector in the motor corps department of the Northeastern Department, died at the Base Hospital Brighton Hospital with pneumonia.

ALLEGED BANK LOOTER ON WAY TO BOSTON

Federal officials are awaiting the arrival here tonight from Montreal of a man who is charged with looting a Cambridge national bank of $30,000. The fugitive, who was arrested in Montreal, left there early today in the custody of two U. S. officers for this city. He is said to be an employe of the bank and to be well known in Cambridge and Boston.

The story given out by detectives is that this man embezzled the money on January 1 and visited a number of cities, including Buffalo, Toronto and Ottawa, and was finally traced to Montreal, where he was arrested and held awaiting the arrival of Federal officers from Boston.

The arrest was made in the Canadian immigration office. It is said that the police recovered about $15,000, all of which was in $100 bills.

SEVERAL MEN ON CASTALIA DROWNED

By International News Service.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—Several sailors are reported to have been drowned while being rescued from the disabled American steamer Castalia, 214 miles south of Nova Scotia. Efforts to rescue the crew were made in misty darkness early today by the British steamer War Fijan and the Norwegian steamer Bergensfjord.

A wireless from the Norwegian vessel said that two sailors were drowned when some of the men fell out of the first lifeboat leaving the Castalia. Most of the men in the lifeboats were rescued by the War Fijan. Another wireless message said:

"There were seventeen in Castalia's boat that capsized. Fourteen were picked up, two of whom may be dead."

During the rescue work oil was poured on the sea to calm the water in the vicinity of the Castalia. This is said to have capsized the rescuers as it nearly choked them when it got in their mouths, eyes and noses.

Salem, Jan. 13.—Aboard the steamer Castalia, reported to be sinking off Halifax, are two boys from this section, Thomas J. Brown, son of Truant Officer Thomas F. Brown of No. 7 Hancock street, is junior engineer and Elmer W. Davenport of Central avenue, Beverly, is third officer of the vessel.

LABOR DELEGATES GO TO MOONEY CONFERENCE

Ten representatives of organized labor have left Boston as delegates to the national conference in Chicago according to a statement made by J. Edward Morgan, a representative of the Mooney Defense League of San Francisco, who is now in Boston. He named the delegates as follows: Martin Lomasney, secretary-treasurer of the Massachusetts State Branch; William Kobbs, assistant secretary of the Boston Central Labor Union; P. D. McMahon of the Machinists' Council and Joseph Mosher of the Navy Yard Machinists. Joseph Toomey of the Carpenters, Louis Henderson of the Cigar Makers, Miss Rose Sullivan, president of the Woman's Trade Union League; John O'Connor and Mary Matthews of the Telephone Operators' local. This conference, according to Morgan, will demand a new trial for Tom Mooney in California.

For Weakness After Grip or Influenza take GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, which is simply IRON and QUININE combined in other words, the generally accepted world's standard. Children like it. You can soon feel its Strengthening Properties. 60c.—Adv.

WILSON URGES QUICK FOOD RELIEF

Washington, Jan. 13.—Food is the one thing that will stem the tide of growing unrest in Europe, President Wilson has cabled Senator Martin and Representative Stanley, chairman of the House appropriations committee.

It was announced at the executive offices of the White House today.

The telegram urges the speedy passage of the pending $100,000,000 to feed Europe and points out, it is understood, that th allied governments agree that unless normal conditions are restored through the revictualling of certain European countries, the progress of the peace negotiations may be jeopardized.

The President reiterates that none of the $100,000,000 fund provided under the measure would be spent for Germany, pointing out that the country is in a position to purchase all the supplies she needs and that she is provided with the necessary money to make these purchases.

The greatest needs, the President points out, are in Poland, in the new governments that have sprung up in Austria-Hungary and in the Balkans.

Rupture Kills 7,000 Annually

Seven thousand persons each year are told advancing hernia or rupture is being marked "Rupture: Why? Because the manufacturers of trusses have neglected them. Instead of making a truss conform to the size dwelling of the afflicted and paying no attention to the cause. What's the result? Are you neglecting yourself by wearing a truss, appliance, or whatever name you choose to call it? At best, the truss is only a makeshift—and a dangerous one at that. Spring wall—and cannot be expected to act as more than a mere support. The PLAPAO binding pressure retards blood circulation, thus preventing the assimilation of that which they need most—nourishment.

But science has found a way, and the PLAPAO is the result. Each pad is invited to make a FREE test right in the privacy of your own home. The PLAPAO method is unquestionably the most humane, scientific and successful treatment for rupture the world has ever known.

The PLAPAO PAD when adhering to the body cannot slip, therefore cannot chafe, press against nerve or cause any discomfort. To be loose when you work and shift you strap. No straps, buckles or springs attached.

Learn how it cures the hernial opening as nature intended as the muscles can.

Write today to PLAPAO CO., Block 237, St. Louis, Mo.

Formation necessary.—Advertisement.

Have you been wondering why coffee is about the only food product that hasn't advanced in price—until recently?

You've been paying more and more for your butter, flour, eggs, meat—in fact, for almost every necessity and luxury of life. Little by little, day by day, prices have advanced until now a dollar buys just about as much as 54 cents did in pre-war days.

But—and you have doubtless wondered why—coffee has proved to be an exception. In spite of higher freight rates and the constantly increasing cost of doing business, coffee roasters have succeeded until recently in keeping prices practically at the same level they were before the war. You will be interested in the reasons for this unusual circumstance.

Why coffee prices stayed down

The price of coffee—like the prices of all other things — is partly governed by the Law of Supply and Demand. During the war, European ports were almost altogether closed to coffee importation. The blockade of the Central Powers, the U-Boat Warfare, and the great need for ships to carry troops and supplies meant that comparatively little coffee found its way to Europe.

This, of course, deprived the coffee growers of what had previously been a very extensive outlet for their crops, and eliminated any possibility of their disposing of their product at advanced prices.

In fact, the surplus supply of coffee grown enabled coffee roasters in this country to buy at prices slightly under normal, and had this saving not been offset by the increased cost of doing business, you would have paid even less than you did for your favorite brand.

With the war's end there came a decided change in conditions. Europe was "hungry," even desperate, for coffee—people having paid as high as $5.00 per pound.

Then, again, the United States, with its large consumption and badly depleted stocks—owing to lack of ships and the Government 90-day restrictions—felt the pinch.

Why coffee prices are now advancing

You may wonder why coffee roasters in this country did not lay in large stocks under the favorable price conditions which existed during the war. It is sufficient to say that they were prevented from doing this by the shortage of ships and by the government ruling, which stated that no coffee roaster could carry in stock more coffee than would be sufficient to take care of his normal requirements for 90 days.

So with the world clamoring for coffee — and with the demand threatening to far exceed the supply, because of the frost in June, 1918, which, it is reported, will materially reduce the coming crop—it is but natural that coffee growers should expect to receive higher prices. *And as a result, coffee roasters in the United States are paying more and more and more per pound for coffee.*

You can see, therefore, that the only way you can get as good quality of coffee as you have been using is to pay more for it. If you pay the old price, it is reasonable to assume that your coffee will be of poorer quality—because

Coffee roasters can do but one of two things

They can either maintain quality and increase prices in proportion to the increased cost to them, or they can hold their prices down by reducing the quality of their coffee.

But no matter what else happens, users of La Touraine Coffee may rest assured that its quality will not deteriorate. The policy of the W. S. Quinby Company will not, under any conditions, permit the enviable reputation for uniformity, delicious flavor and delightful aroma, which La Touraine Coffee has so long enjoyed, to be injured in order to save a few cents a pound.

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PEOPLE WHO USE QUINBY'S

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SAY IT'S *The Perfect Coffee*

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Don't accept coffee as La Touraine unless it's in the La Touraine Bag

ROCKLAND DISAPPOINTED AS SUSPECT LEAVES TRAIN AT THOMASTON

For That
CHILLY Feeling
Take
Grove's Tasteless
CHILL Tonic
It
WARMS The Body
By Purifying and Enriching the Blood. You can soon feel its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect.
Grove's Tasteless
CHILL Tonic
is not a Patent Medicine. It is simply IRON & QUININE Suspended in Syrup.
So Pleasant Even Children Like It.
The Quinine and Iron does not dissolve in the syrup and, therefore, does not make the syrup bitter.
You do not taste the bitter Quinine or the Iron because both are completely covered with syrup when swallowed. Price 60c.

By JOHN W. MORAN, Jr.

Rockland, Me., Jan. 13.—The intentions of a goodly gathering of Rockland people were more or less thwarted today when Fred Mansfield, believed to be James Black, alias "Boston Shorty," and accused slugger of Mrs. Raymond Small, was removed from the train at Thomaston. The gathering of so great a crowd at the Rockland station made necessary this step.

Mrs. Small, who made the trip up from Saco on the same train, continued into this city, as did Attorney-General Wm. L. Burgin, who has assumed more active control of the case. The despot crowd received her in a most curious manner. They quizzed her at will, asking every possible sort of questions and seeking to ascertain whether or not she thought Mansfield was the slayer of Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Small hasn't any opinion regarding the slayer of Mrs. Brown, but she does entertain serious thought concerning her own assailant. Nothing can swerve her from the belief that Mansfield is the man she met at the Salvation Army headquarters here on the night of July 14. Nor can she be led to believe that any other than he left the hair with her and later assaulted her so brutally that her life hung in the balance for days.

State Detective Fred A. Tarbox spent the morning inquiring among persons in this city who are supposed to have seen a mysterious stranger in the vicinity of the waterfront on the morning following the murder of Mrs. Brown. A Mrs. Paul was one who saw the man loaded through a field in the direction of a lime kiln near the waterfront.

She looked at the picture Chief Tarbox is carrying with him, and without hesitation decided that the man she saw that morning was the one whom the authorities believe assailed Mrs. Small.

Mansfield Wouldn't Commit Such a Crime, Says Aunt in Boston

Records at Camp Devens show that a man named Frederick Mansfield, discharged December 12, was a member of Company D, 7th Battalion, United States Guards. On his card, filed in application for discharge, was the question: "Where do you want to go from here?" The answer was: "Conway, N. H." Private Mansfield's address was given as No. 322 Washington street, Dorchester.

This is the present address of Mrs. Leonard P. Rounds, an aunt of Mansfield, with whom he formerly lodged at No. 17 Harvard street, Dorchester. She declared him to be a quiet, mild-mannered man whom she had known for 15 years.

He was a painter by trade, and had been divorced. Mrs. Rounds stated. On learning that Mansfield was held in Maine as a murder suspect, and that he was further suspected of being a discharged convict, she said, emphatically: "Impossible; it can't be. Why, he is a nice young man and would do nothing like that."

Other addresses in Boston where Mansfield said he had lodged were No. 12 Rutland square and No. 28 Northampton street. At the former address lives Miss Annie Ferry, who said that she saw Mansfield late on the afternoon of December 30, and again on December 31. She could not say whether he had slept in his room that night, as he had adjoining rooms with a Joseph Lashway, and they took care of their own beds. The journey to Rockland from Boston requires, at least, seven or eight hours.

"Joseph Lashway" is believed to be Joseph Lajoie of that address, who is employed at H. P. Hood's milk station in Charlestown.

Lajoie today declared that he was looking for Mansfield and charged him with the larceny of a pair of shoes and a pair of moccasins. He declared that Mansfield was with him at the Rutland square house from New Year's Day until Jan. 6, and that he drank almost continuously during that period.

At the Northampton street address, where, according to Mansfield, he lived with a family named McLean, no family by that name was known.

Footprints Give Another Clew in Hunt for Slayer of Woman

By PAUL HARRIS DRAKE.

Rockland, Me., Jan. 13.—Comparison of footprints found beneath the dead body of Mrs. Carolyn Brown, who was murdered on the night of December 30, today reveals that Mrs. Brown was murdered by the same tall stranger, attired in a long overcoate, who accosted Miss Grace Ford and City Treasurer Oliver Lovejoy on the evening of the crime.

Police officials removed the accumulation of two recent snowstorms on the lawn of Mrs. C. E. Littlefield of No. 86 Limerock street, under which were discovered his footprints which tallied exactly with the plaster of paris casts taken at the time of the discovery of the murder.

A rain and sleet storm following the night of the crime had preserved the impression made by the feet of the man who accosted Miss Ford and Mr. Lovejoy, so that, with the assistance of a stiff broom, the original footprints could easily be seen.

By taking exact measurements of the glazed imprints on the layer of snow nearest the ground the figures showed that a rubber measuring twelve inches in length, three inches across the heel and four and one-half inches across the ball of the foot, was worn by the stranger who annoyed the pedestrians early on the evening of December 30.

Removal of the recent snow to a depth of three or four inches in the vicinity of two trees disclosed trampled places on the side of each tree farthest from the arc light at the corner of High and Limerock streets. The two trees behind which the murderer took refuge on the evening of the crime are maple and approximately one foot in diameter. An abrupt rise or barking runs the entire length of the Littlefield estate bordering the sidewalk, and it is on the shoulder of this elevation that the snado trees are located.

It appeared from the clearly delineated impressions which had taken on the appearance of ice that the murderer walked between the two trees, taking pains to keep within the shadow of the tree nearest the arc light while making his way to the second tree.

Gives $10,000 Bond

Joseph H. McCook, register of the Norfolk County Probate Court, has furnished a bond of $10,000 as special administrator of the estate of the late Frank L. George, formerly well-known Hyde Park real estate operator.

Soldiers Shave With
Cuticura Soap
The Healthy Up-To-Date Cuticura Way

No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no free scum, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—evening, bath and shampooing. Soothes rasty efficiency, not to speak of that extra measure of skin comfort and skin health due to its delicate, fragrant Cuticura medication. Largest selling skin soap in the world.

Cuticura Toilet Trio
Consisting of Soap, Ointment and Talcum are indispensable adjuncts of the daily toilet in maintaining skin purity and skin health. By bringing these delicately medicated emollients in frequent contact with your skin as in the form for all toilet purposes you keep the skin, scalp, hair and hands clear, sweet and healthy. Does everywhere.

HE DARKENED HIS GRAY HAIR

They Used to Call Him Grandpa; Now They Call Him Kid.

Tells How He Did It.

Mr. J. A. McCrea, a well known resident of San Francisco, who was called Daddy and Grandpa on account of his white hair, and who darkened it with a simple home-made mixture, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To half a pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound and ¼ ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off. My friends now call me 'Kid'."

CHAFING DISH COURSE AT Y. W. C. A. ROOMS

New classes are being offered at the Young Women's Christian Association, No. 27½ Beacon street.

Six lessons in chafing dish and salad making course including some deserts, will be given by Miss Lucy Allen of the Boston School of Cookery, beginning Wednesday evening, January 22. The course will include such topics as "Business Women's Menus," "Hot Luncheons for Office or School," "What to Serve One's Men Friends," etc.

Hold Conklin Services

The funeral of Roy Ivet Conklin, well-known Boston artist, was held from his late residence, No. 55 Arch-side road, Roslindale. Mr. Conklin died after a few days' illness. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lillian A. Conklin, formerly Miss Doyle of Dedham, a daughter and his parents.

SPECIAL NOTICE

A word that *outgrew* its meaning

There is a single word that means—

"—common to all the world; not limited to any region—or to any department of the world of thought."

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS ago a magazine was given this word as a title.

The magazine became nationally known. It achieved a circulation of more than a million copies a month.

Today it is America's Greatest Magazine, and the people of this country pay a quarter of a million dollars a month for the privilege of reading it. *This is more than they pay for any other magazine.*

While this magazine has outgrown the original meaning of its name, that meaning still applies to it in a larger sense.

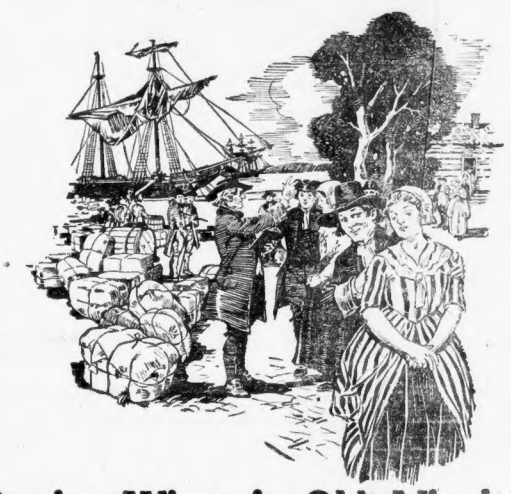
If, for instance, you buy the February number of this magazine and spend the evening in the company of its long list of distinguished contributors, you will meet *the greatest writers and the greatest artists in all the world.*

You will meet Robert W. Chambers and John Galsworthy—two of the greatest living novelists. You will be entertained by the short stories of Fannie Hurst, Harris Dickson, E. Phillips Oppenheim and George Randolph Chester. You will be inspired by the great thoughts of Maurice Maeterlinck and Herbert Kaufman.

You will recognize this magazine by its beautiful Harrison Fisher cover.

But the one way to make certain of getting it is to ask any newsdealer for a copy of his best selling magazine and hand him a quarter.

Do this tonight or you may be too late—for it is also *the fastest selling magazine.*



Buying Wives in Olde Virginia

"Young women were therefore sent out to be married to the settlers. But, before any man could marry one of these, he was obliged to gain her consent, and to pay the cost of her passage, which was about a hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco."

—Eggleston's "*A History of the United States and Its People*"

Say, have you ever tasted VIRGINIA tobacco?

No other tobacco can equal the true tobacco flavor of Virginia. It's *real.* It makes other tobaccos taste *flat.* It has a fresh relish that almost doubles the pleasure of smoking.

Your first package of Piedmonts will show you. Try this all-Virginia cigarette—today.

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NOTE—Virginia tobacco, grown right here in the U. S., *pays no Duty, no Ocean Freight, no Marine Insurance.* That's why Piedmont All-Virginia Cigarettes give you *better* tobacco for *less* money than any cigarette of foreign-grown tobaccos.

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ROOSEVELT IS EULOGIZED BY GEN. WOOD

Memorial Services for Former President Held in Boston Churches

"He was afraid of nothing save fear of not doing his duty fully. He offered his life that others might live and free institutions might endure."

Such, in part, was the tribute paid to the memory of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt by the eloquent friend, Major-General Leonard Wood, U. S. A., at a memorial service held in the Park Street Church, which was crowded by friends and admirers of the late former President of the United States.

"To attempt to give any description of Theodore Roosevelt would be as difficult as a description of the Grand Canyon," said General Wood. "How inadequate words are to any act of his picture must be of either. He was a many-sided, square-rooled man and did everything on the level. He was a man with a clear soul.

AFRAID OF NOTHING.

"He was afraid of nothing save fear of not doing his duty fully. He did many things, but he always did them with the eye single and to the right and best interests of our people.

"He was a soldier and a good subordinate, and understood the difference between subordination and timidity. He spoke his mind openly, freely and fully when in war council, but the orders of his superiors were carried out cheerfully. He clearly the difference between subordination and subservience. He was that man of whom Shakespeare wrote: 'The best officer and the ideal officer is the man who looks after the best interests of his men.'

OFFERED LIFE FOR OTHERS.

"He feared nothing. He offered his life that others might live and free institutions might endure. He would not take part in the war, but he sent his four sons. He understood thoroughly the subordination of the military to the civil, but he recognized the importance of the military. He was democratic and believed in the equality of opportunity and privilege.

Memorial services were also held in the Church of the Advent, at which the rector, the Rev. William Harman van Allen, gave testimony also of his love of the United States, and Charles G. Washburn of Worcester, who was at Harvard with Colonel Roosevelt, paid a tribute at the memorial services at the Cathedral Church of SS. Peter and Paul.

A mass meeting is to be held at the Boston City Club this evening in memory of Theodore Roosevelt. The memorial address will be delivered by Major General Wood.

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Musterole Works Without the Blister—Easier, Quicker

There's no sense In mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of mustard plasters, and will not blister.

Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE
MADE FROM PURE OIL OF MUSTARD

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Notable Musical Events to Feature Social Activities of Coming Week

PHOTO BY WHITE, BOSTON.

Miss Bertha Lee Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes of Marlboro street, who is taking the four months' training at the Corliss P. Huntington Hospital. Miss Barnes is a member of the 1917-18 Sewing Circle.

By SARA ORCUTT.

Mrs. Hudson Alexander, Mrs. Mario Lauriati of the Metropolitan Opera House, with Arthur Fiedler as accompanist, will give the first of three recitals this afternoon at the Copley Theatre.

Part of the proceeds will be given to the Italian War Relief Fund. Mrs. Robert de W. Sampson, Mrs. William Appleton, Mrs. William Lowell Putnam, Mrs. Charles L. Harding and Mrs. Edwin Farnham Greene are among the subscribers.

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Mrs. Frederick D. Stackpole of No. 290 Commonwealth avenue, has arrived at the Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, Cal., where she will remain through the Winter months.

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The chaptr whist, given by "Ace of Clubs" on Friday afternoon at the Hotel Somerset brought out a large and notable gathering.

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Much interest is being expressed in the recital which Miss Geraldine Dufour is giving at the Copley-Plaza on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. She will present a program of Italian, French and English songs.

French Will Filed

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Ellen Richmond French of Concord has been filed. The estate is valued at $31,965.36, all in personal property.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY PARTY ON BATTLESHIP

A party was given on board the battleship Kentucky at the Charlestown Navy Yard in honor of the forty-first birthday of Miss Beatrice Hughes, one of the principals of Fred Stone's "Jack o' Lantern" Company, now appearing at the Colonial Theatre. The host of Miss Hughes was Lieutenant-Commander Chealle of the Kentucky, assisted by Lieutenant Charles Tinsley, and was in recognition of the aid given by Miss Hughes and other girls of the "Jack o' Lantern" Company to sailors and officers of the navy during the war.

The girls of the company, on reaching the ship, were escorted to the officers' mess, where dinner was served. The guests, all members of the Fred Stone company, were The Misses Bunny Wendell, who with Lieuten nt Tinsley, had charge of all the arrangements; Marie Hall, Margaret Irving, Jet Stanley, Helen Leisy, Penelope Willard, Katherine Ezell, Billy Shaw, Hazel Renard, Lydia Scott, Florence Challenger and Miss Steel, a guest of Miss Hall.

French Art Lecture

The Museum of Fine Arts announces a free lecture in English by the distinguished art critic, Seymour de Ricci, on "Art in Old French Homes," in the lecture hall of the museum on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

KEEP URIC ACID OUT OF JOINTS

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid, which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent, lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

$3,000,000 FOR CHARITY WENT TO THIEVES

Many Prominent Persons Victims of Confidence Men; N. Y. Gifts 2 Billion

New York, Jan. 13.—New York contributed half of the $4,000,000,000 donated for war charities, according to a report of District Attorney Swann. At least $3,000,000 given for war charities were stolen here, the report says. An amazing amount of gullibility and fraud were uncovered by the investigation of Mr. Swann's office into the methods of "charity grafters."

A section of the report written by Assistant District Attorney Billings after referring to the ease with which "prominent persons lent their names to so-called charities without investigation or judgment," declared the activities that easily endowed by prominent people were "conceived and promoted often by ex-convicts, confidence men, adventurers and social parasites."

Mr. Billings said that social "climbers" frequently saw an opportunity for social recognition and preferment in the advertisement and popular approval that would follow "their ostentatious patriotism."

"To the various types of apparent respectability the legal and social outcasts attached himself. Thus fortified, he played upon the prestige and public influence so obtained to mulct the patriotic and generous, and to waste and dissipate the national benevolence.

"Deliberate theft played its part in aiding the war relief chest."

Among the prominent men alleged to have been victimized by crooked "charity" workers, Mr. Kilroe named Elihu Root, Robert Bacon, Reed Smoot, Colonel Cornelius Vanderbilt, James W. Gorman and Judge Norman S. Dike.

SOLDIERS SEEK JOBS HELD BY FOREIGNERS

Springfield, Jan. 13.—Upwards of 500 soldiers and sailors unable to secure work have completed the organization of a Soldiers' and Sailors' Council to be known as the United States World War Veterans' Relief Association.

Resolutions ask that the pay of the service men be continued for six months after discharge from the service, also that manufacturers make places for returned service men by discharging from their employment aliens who claimed exemption from the service.

ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL SERVICE IN WASHINGTON

Washington, Jan. 13.—Memorial services for President Roosevelt were held in Y. M. C. A. "Liberty Hut" under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Representative Fred C. Hicks of the Oyster Bay District, eulogized the former President and declared that "Roosevelt, the man, is dead, but his sterling Americanism will survive as long as time lasts."

Boston American's New England Development Forum

FUTURE DEPENDS ON HOW SHIPPING IS USED

By JOHN F. FITZGERALD

(Congressman-elect from the Tenth Congressional District and Ex-Mayor of Boston).

New England's future depends on its utilization of the ocean, and this is the psychological time to act. Every part of the United States seems to be more alive on the subject than New England. No matter what newspaper you read (some of them published in cities thousands of miles from the ocean) you will find their columns filled with notices of meetings and commercial and industrial organizations with a view to increasing their foreign trade. Up to the present time I know of no concerted effort on the part of New England business men to this end.

Mr. Hurley tells us that in a few years from now the United States will have 25,000,000 tons of shipping, and that the treasury of the United States if necessary will be called upon to keep the shipping moving into every part of the civilized world. When those ships come to America they cannot get into Chicago, or St. Louis or Omaha, or in fact of the big cities away from the ocean front. They will sail in and out of those harbors upon the Atlantic coast and upon the Pacific coast which are best prepared to handle ocean business.

New York now does the large part of the Atlantic coast business, with Philadelphia, Baltimore, New Orleans, Galveston and Boston away behind. New York's facilities are hard pressed now, and only the other day, in a talk with the Director of the Port, Mr. Harbord, he said that he was pressing Mayor Hylan for an appropriation of $50,000,000 to improve New York's facilities. He told me also that an organization has been formed composed of some of the biggest business men of New York and New Jersey, who are planning a development for New York and New Jersey water front for a period of fifty years. General Goethals is the advising engineer.

Boston must have a similar program. Our port development has been going along in a hap-hazard fashion for years. The time has come when big things are in order, and I believe the Governor of the state can do wonderful things for Boston and Massachusetts if he will call together the representative men of the State in different lines of business and map out a program commensurate with the times.

MUST REPRESENT ALL LINES.

These men should represent all lines of business—bankers, manufacturers, merchants, builders, educators, doctors, lawyers, mechanics, farmers and labor. With the right man at the head who will be able to get together money, brains and brawn so they will work together, an improvement in Massachusetts commercial and industrial affairs will have been inaugurated that will prove of immense benefit to the community.

JOHN F. FITZGERALD.

Boston Harbor has been an eyesore for years; yet, the men with money in this city seemingly have been willing that it should be empty, or used for a Summer resort, rather than do the work that would fill it with ships, to the advantage of all the community, banker and laborer alike. It is nonsense to argue that because American shipping has declined that American ports should decline, because New York's business has increased enormously in the last twenty-five years. It disgraces Boston, which is 200 miles nearer Europe than New York, that New York handles 70 per cent. of the foreign travel of the country, as against 3 per cent. on the part of Boston.

It disgraces Boston that at this present moment there are at least thirty dry docks in New York for the repairing of merchant vessels, while in Boston there is but one, the Simpson Dry Dock, built before the war, and the worst phase of it is that though the United States is building billions of tons of shipping at the present moment, no sustained effort seems to be made by the Chamber of Commerce or the big men of the community to build additional dry docks for the repairing of vessels.

It is idle to expect companies which own ocean liners to do business in a city which has absolutely no facilities for the repairing of their vessels when they get out of order. There are conferences going on now that may result in something tangible in the dry dock situation, but the matter must be sternally asked if it is going thru.

The other day I wrote a letter to the Governor and asked him to name a committee of fifty to one hundred men, who would be formed into districts, committee to consider what is necessary to have Boston take the place in the reconstruction period that its natural place on the ocean requires.

Rail and ferment, a committee of bankers, business men and representatives of labor to map out a plan for Boston's development for fifty years, as they are doing in New York, to consider what engineers that were available to make a plan for dock development along the most modern lines. At the present time East Boston, Charlestown, the city proper and South Boston are used for loading and unloading cargoes in an unsystematic manner.

A DIRECT ENTRANCE.

Distinct parts of the harbor should be used for boats employed in domestic shipping and in foreign shipping, either a belt line or a Lighter ridge system should be mapped out. Chelsea Creek cut through Belle Isle inlet, with an opening to the Atlantic Ocean would be an ideal improvement to map out for consideration by Congress.

Distinguished officials of the government will be among those present to attend the great war conference now being held up in New York Harbor for two days on account of fog. The Northern Pacific, with thousands of passengers aboard, was wrecked there outside New York Harbor. If this new water-way is built through Winthrop and Chelsea Creek, to the Navy Yard, as I have suggested, it would furnish a direct entrance from the ocean right into the harbor, and be navigable regardless of fog or other conditions.

WOULD NAME COMMITTEE.

A committee should be appointed to look into the matter of educating young men for the sea. Mr. Henry Howard has done splendid work in establishing schools for marine instruction, and the work should be taken up and the atmosphere of the sea carried into some of our colleges.

A committee should be appointed to report upon agricultural conditions in the State, with a view to putting the present immigrant stock on the farms. As I recall the figures in the report on immigration a few years ago, the great majority of the immigrants that came to this country remained in the country, as against 3 per cent. on the part of Boston.

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SOLUTION OF FARM PROBLEM.

It is my opinion that thousands of Italians and Poles and Lithuanians and other races who are natural farmers across the water could be induced to settle in colonies on our farms if the government at the present moment would purchase these farms and turn them over to them on twenty-five-year payments, which would be little more than a rental.

It would take but a very few years if this were done to reduce the cost of living, because all over New England would be seen flocks of sheep and cattle and poultry.

Massachusetts could very well afford to spend $10,000,000, which would be borrowed at 4 per cent. or less when the money market eases, and lease it to worthy men who are natural farmers on a 5 per cent. basis, which would in a reasonable time pay off the mortgage and turn the property over to the man who had been working on it.

A committee should be appointed to look into the opportunities afforded by the use of commercial motor trucking. Complaint has been made for many years because of the difficulty in getting freight from the north of Boston to the south of Boston, south and vice versa. With the good roads that have been developed between important points to the north and south of Boston, an effective scheme of motor truck transportation inaugurated would be very beneficial to our industries. Such a system is now working very satisfactorily in certain places and it should be stimulated.

If we can get these and similar committees working as they did during the war, the future of Massachusetts and New England is assured.

BIG JANUARY PROGRAM FOR SOUTH BOSTON KNIGHTS

Plans have been made by south Boston Council, Knights of Columbus, for the following program to be given during January in the council headquarters on East Broadway: Wednesday evening, "Welfare," Warren E. Greene, K. of C. secretary, recently returned from France, will speak on his experiences overseas; Wednesday evening, January 22, first degree will be exemplified upon twenty-five candidates; Sunday evening, January 26, a concert under the auspices of the council will be given in the Municipal Building, the proceeds of which will be turned over to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Welfare Fund.

DISCUSS LIQUOR CHARGES AGAINST PORTLAND MEN

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 13.—John Mullin and William Brockenborough of Portland, Me., had their cases set for prosecution by Judge Harland B. Howe in the United States Court here. Mullin was charged with smuggling and illegally transporting whiskey, and Brockenborough was charged with illegally transporting spirituous liquors. Counsel for Judge Howe announced that Judge Howe take the case from the jury concerning that the government had not proved its case.

MAY SEND PIER TARS TO NEWPORT STATION

Newport, R. I., Jan. 13.—The number of men at the Training Station has jumped to 6,491. From Boston comes a report that the navy is to abandon Commonwealth Pier, and some of the men who have been on duty there are to be sent here.

Application of the chief commodore for recreation to wear the U. S. O. hat device has been disapproved.

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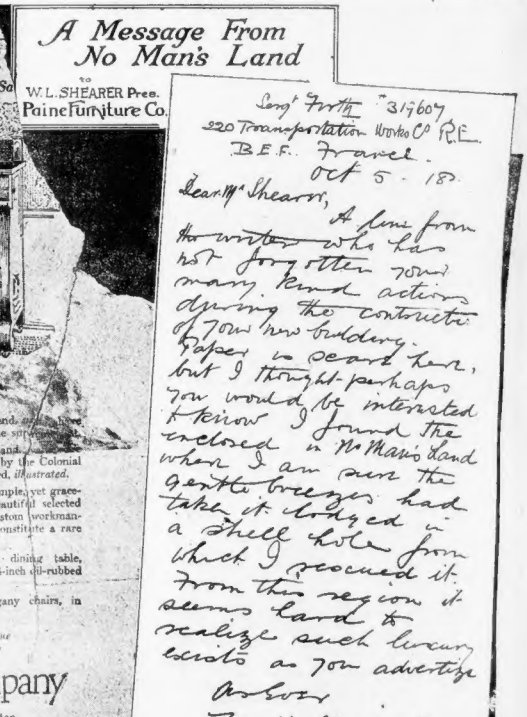
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A line from the writer who has not forgotten your many kind action during the construction of your new building.
Paper is scarce here, but I thought perhaps you would be interested to know I found the enclosed in No Mans Land when I am sure the gentle breezes had take it aloged in a shell hole from which I rescued it.
From the region it seems hard to realize such luxury exists as you advertise.
Answer
Your well wishes
W C Forth

BRONZE MEDALS FOR 3,000 AT DEVENS

Men to Be Rewarded for Part in Making Military Carnival a Success

By THOMAS F. PHELAN.

Camp Devens, Ayer, Jan. 13.—Three thousand men of the 74th Infantry will, on Thursday afternoon in the Liberty Theatre, each receive a bronze medal suitably inscribed for the part they took in making the recent military carnival in this cantonment a success. Colonel Dockery and other officers will make the presentation following the show, "C'est la Guerre," run under the auspices of the regiment. Major-General McCain and staff and a number of officers from the Department of the Northeast are expected to attend.

The regiment carried off first honors in the carnival and were adjudged champions of the camp. Different units of the regiment won the handsome cups put up for the best showing on parade.

Another course of instructions has opened here, that of a twenty-four-hour course in intelligence training. The classes were mustered from the men in each infantry battalion, under the direction of regimental intelligence officers. The sessions are from 9:45 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday. The course will close Friday, January 24.

TO MUSTER OUT ARTILLERY.

The 103d Field Artillery, comprising fifty-five officers and 1,231 men, will be mustered out by the end of the week. The men are due here today.

Otis Chapman, who masqueraded in Ayer in an officer's uniform, and later escaped from the Base Hospital, where he was undergoing treatment, has been arrested at a Boston hotel. It became known today.

Enthusiasm ran high today in different units of the Plymouth division when the preliminary work of demobilization of 50 per cent of the men entitled to discharge because of dependents commenced. Each man entitled to a discharge has been ordered to appear before the army surgeons for examination. It is not expected, though that the men will receive their discharge papers before Wednesday. It is figured that about 500 men a day will be demobilized until the total number entitled to go is reached.

TO BE SENT SOUTH.

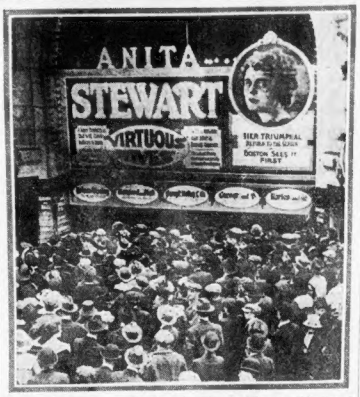
From an authoritative source today it was learned that the remainder of the division will be shipped to Camp Upton or some other cantonment down South before March to make room for the returning 26th Division. The 42d Infantry, part of the Plymouth Division, is now at Camp Upton.

Known as the "Big Three," Colonel Kemper Colonel Hen ry and Major Richards are alleged to be keeping 200 officers in suspense. The latter are anxious to get into the regular army and it is the duty of the "Big Three" to determine their fitness. These officers were connected with the Depot Brigade and filled out papers expressing a willingness to remain in the service. Each officer has to appear personally before the "Big Three" and give an outline of what he knows about military affairs. The opinion of the examining board is withheld.

Captain Harry J. Harris of the Salvage Depot, quartermaster corps, appears before a general court-martial board today to answer to charges of misappropriating government property. His home is in Bro kline.

Major-General McCain calls the attention of the men of the Plymouth Division to the result of a recent inspection of the barracks and grounds. Attention is directed by him to the fact that a number of irregularities were noticed, some of which the first squad rooms and mess halls were not policed before 10 a.m., windows unwashed, latrines dirty and cigarette stubs on floors; that egg shells and food were scattered on the ground in the vicinity of the kitchens.

ANITA STEWART FILLING OLYMPIA THEATRE



How movie devotees flocked into the Olympia Theatre all last week to see Anita Stewart in "Virtuous Wives." The success of the film was so great that it will be continued this week.

The amazing popularity of Anita Stewart's latest picture, "Virtuous Wives" is attested by the accompanying photograph, taken in front of Gordon's Washington Street Olympia Theatre, one day last week.

As Miss Stewart is now employed by a syndicate of Boston men, headed by Louis B. Mayer, the success of her first picture under their management has a particular local significance.

"Virtuous Wives" is a dramatization of the celebrated novel by Gwen Johnson.

Another big film made under the direction of Lois Webber for Miss Stewart will soon be released.

CHILD OF 11 DROWNED AS SLED PLUNGES INTO RIVER

Bridgewater, Jan. 13.—When she lost control of her sled and plunged into Town River Emma Withowski, eleven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Withowski of No. 230 Broad street was drowned. Frank Chadwick recovered the body.

413 Names on Today's Casualty List

Washington, Jan. 13.—The latest list submitted by the War Department today shows a total of 413 names, divided as follows:

Killed in action, 62; died of disease, 82; wounded severely, 240; missing in action, 20.

The New England list shows a total of 16 names, divided as follows:

Massachusetts, 10; Maine, one; Connecticut, two; Vermont, one; Rhode Island two.

Also seventeen New England corrections.

Following is the list:

MASSACHUSETTS.
KILLED IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
Joseph Matton, 537 Fellaway street, Medford.
George Zink, 62 Leonard street, Dorchester.
WOUNDED SEVERELY.
PRIVATES.
Joseph C. E. Beaudry, Worcester.
Edward J. Hogan, 2 Zeigler place, Roxbury.
Arthur W. Fiske, Worcester.
Alexander Petrow, Stoughton.
Robert J. O'Brien, Brockton.
Calvin Strunziery, 150 Orange street, Roxbury.
Bonnas Yashima, 133 Second street, Chelsea.
MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
James J. Gilleran, Framingham.
CORRECTIONS.
KILLED IN ACTION (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
PRIVATES.
Edward J. Carroll, 1070 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington Heights.
Thomas McCarthy, 41 Mystic street, Medford.
Archie McDonald, Fairfield.
DIED (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
LIEUTENANT.
Raymond C. Taylor, 1384 Commonwealth avenue, Allston.
CORPORAL.
Michael Sullivan, 590 Columbia road, Dorchester.
WOUNDED SEVERELY (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
PRIVATE.
Peter A. Crowley, Cherry Valley.
MAINE.
DIED OF DISEASE.
PRIVATE.
Willie J. Hazen, Rumney.
CORRECTIONS.
KILLED IN ACTION (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
PRIVATE.
Charles H. Crockett, Harland.
CONNECTICUT.
DIED OF DISEASE.
PRIVATE.
Michael Joseph Dunne, Hartford.
William Zoeller, Norwalk.
CORRECTIONS.
KILLED IN ACTION, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
John F. McCormick, Norwich.
Corrette Capellone, Torrington.
DIED OF DISEASE, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
Henry T. Tiellweber, Waterbury.
WOUNDED SEVERELY, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
Albert P. Stickbeardt, New Britain.
NEW HAMPSHIRE.
CORRECTIONS.
WOUNDED SEVERELY, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
Joseph C. Sinkiewicz, Lincoln.
VERMONT.
DIED OF DISEASE.
PRIVATE.
John J. McGrath, East Hardwick.
CORRECTIONS.
WOUNDED SEVERELY, PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
Freeman LeValley, Brattleboro.
RHODE ISLAND.
KILLED IN ACTION.
PRIVATE.
John C. Rice, Pawtucket.
DIED OF DISEASE.
PRIVATE.
Florence McCarthy, Pawtucket.
CORRECTIONS.
KILLED IN ACTION (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
PRIVATES.
John W. Dolan, Providence.
John J. Tuzzo, Westerly.
Peter Pacharne, Harrisville.
SICK IN HOSPITAL (PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION).
PRIVATE.
Henry R. Mosher, Crompton.

Thatcher Estate Inventory

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Eunice H. Thatcher of Newton has been filed. The estate is valued at $35,585.70, of which $21,585.70 is in personal property and $14,000 in real estate.

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Bulletin of Bargains on Sale Tuesday

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1 Hudson Seal Coatee, worth $75.00, ... $50.00
1 Hudson Seal and Dark Fitch Coatee, worth $250.00, ... $100.00
1 Hudson Seal Coatee, Jap. mink trimmed, worth $90.00, ... $60.00
1 Taupe Carocul Coatee, worth $95.00, ... $65.00
2 Hudson Seal Coatees, natural stone marten trimmed, worth $75.00, $125.00 ..... $100.00
1 Taupe Nutria Coatee, gray squirrel trimmed, worth $225.00, ... $150.00
1 Natural Gray Squirrel Coatee, worth $225.00, ... $150.00
1 Male Skunk Trimmed Coatee, worth $275.00, ... $200.00
1 Male Taupe Squirrel Trimmed Coatee, worth $350.00, ... $200.00
1 Fitch Coatee, natural dark, worth $350.00, ... $175.00
1 Fine Pyrenia Coatee, tail trimmed, worth $500.00 ..... $350.00
1 Hudson Seal Cape, plain, worth $350.00, ... $175.00
1 Natural Mink Cape, worth $350.00, ... $200.00
1 Male Cape, plain, worth $275.00, ... $200.00
1 Fitch Cape, natural dark color, worth $300.00 ..... $200.00
1 Kolinsky Cape, worth $85.00, ... $75.00
1 Natural Nutria Cape, fine collar, worth $100.00 ..... $50.00
1 Male and Taupe Lynx Collar, worth $225.00 ..... $150.00
2 Natural Silver Fox Muff (real), worth $90.00 ..... $75.00
1 Kolinsky Fancy Muff, worth $225.00 ..... $200.00
Women's Brondcloth Suits, worth $75.00 ..... $50.00
Women's Oxford and Velour Suits, worth $65.00 ..... $39.50
Women's Duvet de Laine Suits, worth $45.00 ..... $25.00
Women's Tailored Silvertone Suits, worth $75.00 ..... $45.00
Women's Suits, advance spring models, worth $55.00 ..... $40.00
Women's Extra Size All-Wool Velour Coats, silk lined, worth $65.00 ..... $39.50
Women's Extra Size Silk Dresses, worth $75.00 ..... $55.00
Women's Extra Size All-Wool Skirts, black, navy, brown, worth $25.00 ..... $16.50
Women's Extra Size Suits, worth $75.00 ..... $39.50
Women's Extra Size Lingerie Waists, worth $5.95 ..... $3.95
Women's Satin Striped Voile Blouses, Plume Trimmed; All Colors, worth $9.95 ..... $7.98
Women's Colored Striped Voile Blouses, High and Low Collars, Organdie Trimmed, worth $15.00 ..... $7.50
Women's French Hand-Made Blouses, also Tailored Lingerie Blouses, worth $7.95 to $8.95 ..... $5.95
Women's Filet Trimmed French Voile Blouses, worth $8.95 ..... $4.95
Women's White and Colored Striped Handkerchief Linen Waists, Convertible Collars, worth $7.95 ..... $5.95
Women's Striped Gingham Morning Dresses, worth $7.50 ..... $5.95
Women's Silk Party Dresses, worth $75.00 ..... $50.95
Women's French Linen Dresses, worth $75.00 ..... $45.75
Women's Crepe Meteor Dresses, worth $10.95 ..... $6.95
Women's House Dresses (seconds), worth $3.00 ..... $1.95
Women's Seersucker Banyan Kimono Dresses, worth $2.95 ..... $1.89
Women's Percale Breakfast Coats, worth $2.50 ..... $1.49
Women's Knit and Crepe Aprons, elastic belt, worth $2.98 ..... $1.59
Women's Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, hand embroidered, worth 35c, each 25c
2.25 a doz.
Women's Fine Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 25c to 1.00, each 50c
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 50c, each 25c

One Lot of Fancy Colored Braids, from 1 to 1¼ inches wide, worth 15c to 25c, yard 10c
One Lot of Black Soutache Braid, good quality, worth 40c piece, ... 25c
Buttons, pearl, medium and large sizes, worth 10c, card 5c
Buttons, Cat's eye ocean and fresh water, worth 15c, dozen 6c
Fancy Coat Buttons, worth 2.00, card 75c
Women's Serge Dresses, worth $15.00 ..... $9.98
Misses' Serge Dresses, worth 20.00 15.00
Misses' Serge Dresses, worth 25.00 22.50
Misses' Silk Dresses, worth 25.00 18.50
Misses' Afternoon Dresses, worth 22.50 ..... 15.00
Misses' Evening Dresses, worth 29.50 ..... 22.50
Misses' Georgette Blouses, in light and dark colorings, worth 12.00 to 15.00 ..... 8.95
Misses' Lingerie Blouses, in an assortment of styles, worth 3.00 ..... 2.00
Misses' Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses, worth 7.50 ..... 4.95
Little Men's Boots, sizes 11 to 13½, worth 4.00 ..... 3.00
Hand Embroidered Crib Pillow Covers, worth 2.50 to 3.00 ..... 2.25
Infants' Worsted Afghans, worth 4.00 ..... 3.50
Cashmere Wrappers, hand embroidered, worth 5.00 ..... 3.95
Infants' Outfitting Night Gowns, worth 1.00 ..... 85c
Women's Corset Covers, worth 75c, 50c
Women's Corset Covers, worth 1.50, 1.00
Women's Philippine and French Drawers, worth 1.50 ..... 1.19
Women's Extra Size Drawers, worth 1.50 ..... 1.00
Women's Night Gowns, worth 2.00, 1.50
Women's Envelope Chemises, worth 2.00 ..... 1.50
Women's Extra Size Night Gowns, worth 2.00 ..... 1.50
Women's Philippine Corset Covers, worth 2.50 ..... 1.50
Women's Straight Chemises, worth 3.00 ..... 2.00
Women's Crepe de Chine Gowns, worth 17.50 ..... 8.95
Women's Extra Size Envelope Chemises, worth 2.50 and 2.95 ..... 2.00
Women's Philippine Gowns, worth 3.00 ..... 2.00
Women's Combinations, worth 2.95, 2.95
Women's French Crepe Gowns, worth 3.95 ..... 2.95
Women's Crepe de Chine and Satin Envelope Chemises, worth 2.95, 2.95
Women's French Crepe Gowns, worth 4.95 ..... 3.95
Women's French Envelope Chemises, worth 4.95 ..... 3.95
Women's French Gowns, worth 4.95 ..... 3.95
Women's Crepe de Chine and Satin Bloomers, worth 3.95 ..... 3.39
Women's Flannel Night Gowns, worth 2.00 to 35.00 ..... 18.75
Full Size, Red Blankets, worth 10.00 pair 8.39
Single Size Red Blankets, worth 6.50 pair 5.39
Red Filled Puffs, full bed size, worth $12.50 ..... 9.98
Cotton Filled Puffs, full bed size, worth 5.00 ..... 3.98
Single Size Bed Sets, worth 8.50, set 6.75
Full Size Bed Spreads, worth 3.50, each 1.75
Women's Fancy Silk Hose, worth 2.00 to 4.00 ..... 2.48
Women's Silk Hose, worth 2.00 and 1.50 ..... 1.25
Women's Drop-Stitch Hose, seconds of our 75c grade 39c

Children's Cotton Hose, black, white or tan, worth 50c, 3 pairs for.. 1.00
Pair 35c
Infants' White Mercerized Hose, worth 50c 25c
3 pairs for 1.00
50 Cards each of Plain, Old English style, worth 3.50 ..... 2.75
Stamping Paper, from own die, paper purchased here, not less than one pkg. in colors, worth 50c quire 25c
Sams in Gold or Silver, worth 40c, each 25c
14-Karat Gold Self-Filling Fountain Pens, worth 2.00 ..... 1.25
Boy Containing 2 Quires Paper and Envelopes, 4 tints to a box, worth 60c 45c
Men's Suits, worth 20.00 ..... 13.50
Men's Suits, worth 25.00 ..... 18.50
Men's Overcoats, worth 40.00 ..... 33.50
Fancy Waistcoats, worth 2.50 and 3.00 ..... 2.95
Neckties, worth 1.00 ..... 85c
Neckties, worth 50c 65c
Men's Pure Worsted Sweaters, worth 10.00 ..... 6.95
Silk Accordion Mufflers, worth 3.95 2.95
Mufflers, Tuxe Silk, worth 6.50 ..... 3.90
Men's Silk Half Hose, full fashioned, white, Palm Beach and gray, worth 2.00, on sizes, worth 1.90 and 1.15 ..... 85c
Men's Heavy Weight Gray Worsted Half Hose, like hand knit, worth 1.00 ..... 75c
Men's English Black Cotton and Colored Mercerized Half Hose, in broken lines, worth 50c and 75c 39c
Men's Wax and Glace Metal Calf Brown and Tan Lace Boots, worth 10.00 to 11.00 ..... 7.23
Men's Tan Grain Lace Boots, raw-hide sole, worth 9.00 ..... 6.75
Men's Calf Lace and Blucher Boots, worth 8.00 and 9.00 ..... 6.50
Boys' Golf Caps, in mixtures, worth 1.00 ..... 69c
Boys' Cloth-Stitched Hats, worth 1.00 ..... 69c
Boys' Plush Hats, worth 2.50 ..... 1.89
Boys' School Overcoats, worth 25.00 ..... 18.50
Boys' Corduroy Norfolk Suits, worth 12.50 ..... 8.95
Boys' Juvenile Overcoats, worth 6.75 ..... 4.95
Boys' Bath Robes, worth 7.50 ..... 5.95
Boys' Mackinaws, worth 14.75 ..... 10.75
42-Inch All Wool Poplin, for dresses, in shades of navy blue, worth 2.50, a yard 1.98
36-Inch White Wide Wale Corduroy, worth 1.50, a yard 98c
56 to 60 Inch Mixed Suiting, worth 4.50, a yard 3.00
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46-Inch All Wool Fabric Twill, navy blue, worth 4.00, a yard 3.00
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42-Inch All Wool Storm Serge, assorted shades, worth 2.50 and 2.95, a yard 1.98
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China Cheese and Cracker Dishes, assorted styles, worth 2.50 and 1.90 ..... 1.25
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Half-Silk Pongee, all the best plain shades, 36 inches wide, worth 69c, yard 45c
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65 Pair Velvet Portieres, Boston edge, worth 27.50, a pair 21.00
Marie Antoinette Lace Curtains, worth 13.50, a pair 8.75
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Chinese Rug, size 8.9x5.6, worth 150.00 ..... 85.00
Chinese Rug, size 9.2x6.2, worth 185.00 ..... 125.00
Chinese Rug, size 10.10x7.6, worth 225.00 ..... 165.00
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Toilet Paper, packages, worth 25c, each ..... 6 for 90c
Jack Knives, assorted styles, worth 50c and 75c 35c
Steel Kettle Knobs, assorted sizes, 17, on a card, worth 1.00 ..... 65c
J. R. Bread Slicers, cut bread an inch, worth 4.50 ..... 3.25
Window Ventilators, 1 lot, worth 1.50 and 2.00 ..... 75c
Household Tool Sets, 6 good qual. 12-in. Saws, worth 5.00 ..... 3.75
Storm Window Fasteners, worth 75c 60c
Ajax Pot Covers, Corer and Slicer, worth 1.00 ..... 70c
Metal Window Boxes, 36 inches, worth 2.00 ..... 1.59
Nitro Fertilizer for Plants, large bottle, worth 1.00 ..... 75c
Steel Step Stools, worth 1.25 ..... 90c
Lux, worth 15c ..... 9 for 1.00
Pyrene Fire Extinguishers with one liquid, worth 15.00 ..... 10.00
Regrey Paint, assortment of shades, ¼-gallon and 1 gallon cans, worth 1.00 and 3.50 ..... 75c and 2.50
Scott Paper Towels, worth 75c, 2 for ..... 2 for 1.25
Waldorf Toilet Paper, rolls, worth 15c 10c
Hair Brushes, ivory, worth 6.75 .. 5.00
Disinfectant, Avon, worth 25c 19c
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Women's Handkerchiefs, extra size, 25c ea., 6 for 1.00
Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 25c ea. 12½c
Women's Handkerchiefs, colored embroidered, worth 10c each, 6 for 50c
Corsets, odd lot, discontinued models, worth 6.00 ..... 3.95
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By TAD

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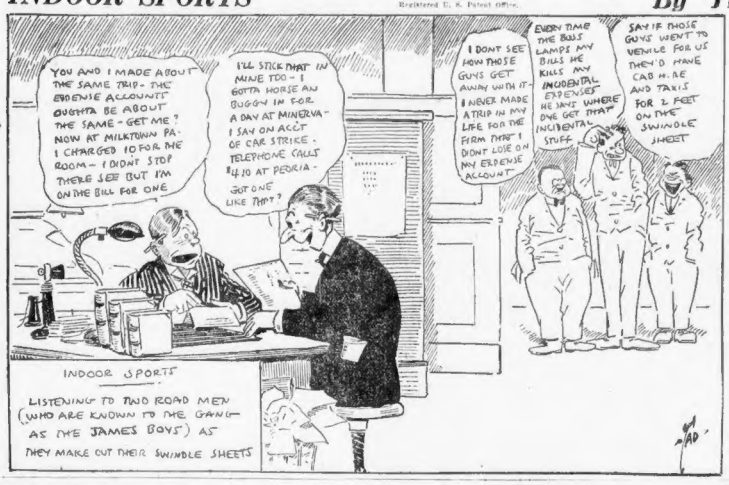
YOU AND I MADE ABOUT THE SAME TRIP - THE EBENEIE ACCOUNT OUGHTA BE ABOUT THE SAME - GET ME ? NOW AT MILKTOWN PA - I CHARGED 10 FOR THE ROOM - I DIDN'T STOP THERE SEE BUT I'M ON THE BILL FOR ONE
I'LL STICK THAT IN MINE TOO - I GOTTA HORSE AN BUGGY IN FOR A DAY AT MINERVA - I SAY ON ACCT OF CAR STRIKE - TELEPHONE CALLS $4.10 AT PEORIA - GOT ONE LIKE THAT ?
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EVERY TIME THE BOSS LAMPS MY BILLS HE KILLS MY INCIDENTAL EXPENSES - HE JUST WHERE DYE GET THAT INCIDENTAL STUFF
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TAD

WELL- I'M GOIN DOWN TO THE CLUB
TO THE CLUB - ? - OH DOWN WITH THOSE BAR FLIETH A LOTTA BUMTH
POKER, CIGART AN - BEER - MORE BEER - KILL TIME YOU OUGHTA BE AT HOME
I CANT THEE - HOW YOU CAN GO THERE EVERY NIGHT - YOU'LL NEVER AMOUNT TO A HILL OF BEANTH - - ETC
WELL - I HAVE NOTHING TO THAN

PARKER COLLIDES WITH BURNS IN RING OF CENTRAL A. C.

By NICK FLATLEY.

A NEW heating system—or rather a heating system—has been installed at the Park Riding Academy. To all intents and purposes there wasn't any in active operation there before on fight nights. This is a very important announcement, very important. There is a set of quarrels at the Central Club tonight, and without the new heating system several of our leading young boxers would undoubtedly have been stiffened by the cold rather than knockout punches.

According to the officials of the organization, there will be real warmth there tonight, or your money back, or something like that. This is a very important announcement, as we have mentioned, for the fans who desire to journey up to the Back Bay to see the all-star show, which will mark the club's reopening after a couple of weeks' vacation.

There will be a change on the card as originally announced, as Danny Kramer has deserted Boston and the fight game here to make fame for himself out on the Pacific coast. It may be that he hadn't heard about the new heat system, and preferred the warmer far West for his future bouts. Danny was to have boxed Young Proto of New Haven, and the club was busy today signing up a new and worthy opponent for the latter youth.

Daniel's disappearance was engineered without even his manager being tipped off, which shows that the scrapper, though young, is like a whole lot of other boxers. Kramer was in line for good money and plenty of business hereabouts, but evidently prefers the coast with its four-round bouts as a field of action.

Parker Back in Ring After Brief Rest.

BATTERING CHARLEY PARKER, who has rested up for a fortnight or so to recover from the strain of knocking dead three or four enemies per week, returns to active service at the Central, tackling Danny Burns once more. Charley beat the dummy once, but didn't flatten him and had a pretty rough battle all the way. The silent scrapper has likewise had a week-end or two without fighting and consequently is at his best, whatever that is.

The tilt will go ten rounds, and so will Proto's match with whoever is found to oppose him, as well as the scrap between Flatiling Reddy and Dave Astey, two New Yorkers. The latter's principal claim to fame seems to be that once upon a time he almost was signed up to box with Jimmy Wilde. A six-rounder between Chick Miller of the West End and Silent Mike of Philadelphia will precede the longer affairs.

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Greb and Houck Should Furnish Rugged Battle.

HARRY GREB, Pittsburgh middleweight, who makes his bow to Boston tomorrow at the Armory show with Leo Houck in the opposite corner, is one of the young ring gentlemen who is seriously considered as a prospective champion. Harry has polished off all but the very best men in his division and now that he's out of the navy, is in strict training, as they say, for his shot at the title.

He had a pretty active year of it in '18, and never did lose one of a bunch of mixups in this country. And he isn't the kind of a chap who's fussy about picking up the right kind of opponents. Houck, as everybody knows, has been boxing about as long as Leon Anos has been pitching—and that's some time—but, note the loss, is a lanky, tough sort of a character, who cannot be easily licked by anybody. Further, he will have a bit the advantage of the weight matter. Greb should come out on top, but Houck can furnish enough opposition to make him show all his wares for the edification of the local boxing populace.

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Bantams Should Fight in Ring, Not on Paper.

BOBBY JOSEPHS and Barney Snyder have done sufficient arguing and written enough letters to settle a world's championship battle. Snyder wants Josephs to make weight—which seems reasonable enough—and Josephs' manager admits that he fears that reducing would hurt his champion, who is a growing youngster. This looks as if Bobby really was getting a bit too heavy for the bantam class, which Snyder undoubtedly can qualify for.

We are in receipt of a monthly epistle from the Josephs camp, which sets forth the advantages Snyder has as regards qualifications, viz, six inches in height and four or five in reach, not to mention five years' experience, as against a six months' school period for Josephs. All of which is apart, from the question, which depends entirely on the weight matter.

Either the young men should agree to box, or call the whole business off. Already it has been discussed at length.

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To Time Fighting Card at Commercial

MATCHMAKER McKINDY is right on the job in fixing a fighting card for the fans at the Commercial Club Friday night.

Tommy Flanagan of New Bedford, who made good at the U. A. C. last week, has been substituted for Kramer against Young Viera. Young Goula of Woonsocket tackles Young Vets. The latter will give Young Goula a tough argument.

Charley Arher and Charley Bergin of New Haven will furnish the fireworks in the feature number while Young Kelly and Young Bruno open the show in a six-round contest.

WORK-OUT FOR LEONARD BEFORE DUNDEE BATTLE

Philadelphia, Jan. 13.—Benny Leonard, king of the lightweights, meets Harlem Eddie Kelly in a six-round bout here tonight.

School Movies

A moving picture exhibition under the auspices of the Women's Club of the Evening School Centre, will be given in the South Boston High School tomorrow afternoon at 2:45. Mothers and children are invited.

SPORT STORY CONTEST BOOMING; HORSE YARNS HAVE CALL

WHAT'S the funniest horse story you know? You must know one—everybody does. Here's a chance to get some money by telling about it.

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Make your stories brief—not more than 200 words—write on one side of the paper only, and send them to the Feature Sport Editor, American.

DANA FILLINGIM RANKS SIXTH IN SLAB TABLE

Dana Fillingim, the young Brave pitcher who joined the team late last season, managed to pry his way into select circles before he joined the navy.

In the list of official National League hurling averages, Dana's name appears sixth, with an average of .538 for his performances.

Though a late comer, he was a very busy worker, getting in fourteen games. Of these he won seven and lost six. Incidentally he scored four shutouts. He was hit for 2.23 earned runs per game.

Dick Rudolph, the next Brave in the ranking, appears in fifteenth place.

It was a great southpaw season in the old league, three portsiders occupying the three first places in the list.

Jim Vaughn of the Cubs was on top, with the other Cub, George Tyler, right on his heels.

Buzzy Hearn, deserter, is listed sixth in the company of non-pareils. The hefty southpaw's notch was 5-6. Jake Northrup scored, winning five out of six.

Upham broke even in two starts; Kid Crandall won one out of three; Lefty George, one out of six; McQuillan was bracketed in his lone full game, while Crum and Konetchy are each charged with one defeat. Kid Hughes with two and Cheaten with four.

Here's what the Braves' regulars did as regards securing free tickets and being struck out:

Names.	Games.	S.O.	B.B.
J. C. Smith	119	47	45
Konetchy	119	35	22
Herzog	118	28	20
Rawlings	111	31	30
Wicklund	95	20	19
Wilson	89	31	24
Maisel	73	20	15
Powell	53	30	29
Betts	48	14	16
Henry	43	7	11
Reig	43	14	14

MITCHELL HOPES HE'LL BE SEATED THIS TIME

Chicago, Jan. 12.—President-Manager Fred Mitchell of the Chicago club has left for New York to attend the joint session of the major leagues. He is in a receptive mood for trades and hopes to be permitted to represent his club at the special meeting of the National League Wednesday.

At the December league rally Mitchell was barred because he is acting as manager as well as president. A special ruling is to be made in his case, it is understood.

POLO LEAGUE CLUBS ASK FOR NEW LEADER

Providence, Jan. 12.—At a stormy meeting of the American Polo League held at the Crown Hotel, President Fred Moore of Lowell was asked to resign. The owners of the Lawrence and New Bedford franchises led in the attack against Moore, but the session ended without any change being made in the body's chief executive.

HANK GOWDY IS REAL HERO OF BALL FANS

The announcement from Hank Gowdy that he will probably be back from France in time to make the Southern training trip with the Braves—certainly in time for the opening of the '19 season—brought joy to baseball fans the country over.

When he dons his baseball regalia and marches out on the diamond for his first game he will get a reception such as has never been given a ball player.

He will be a national hero and will be acclaimed a hero in the greatest of all hero class—a war hero.

Then it will be that Mr. Henry M. Gowdy of Columbus, Ohio, will realize his reward for doing exactly the right thing in quitting his team in 1917 and enlisting in the army, thus gaining the distinction of being the first big league player to go to the assistance of his country.

It was in June, 1917, that Gowdy announced he was through with baseball for the duration of the war and was going at once to Columbus to enlist.

Old Hank was working under a contract calling for $6,000 for about six months' work, but he tossed this salary for Uncle Sam's $30 per month.

Soon after joining the colors Gowdy was made a sergeant and shortly thereafter was on his way to France. There he did a fine work in his usual manly way, went over the top, and was recommended for bravery.

He was in line for a commission when the Germans realized they were well licked and quit.

ROWLAND SLATED TO BE REDS' NEW SKIPPER

Cincinnati, Jan. 13.—It is reported that Clarence Rowland, deposed manager of the Chicago White Sox, will be appointed to succeed Christy Mathewson as manager of the Reds. It has been rumored all Winter that Christie Mathewson was to be succeeded, even though returning from the other side in time to take the helm. First Baron Grim was the pick, but it's Rowland, and Pants is almost sure to get the job, dame Fitzer understands.

GRAND CIRCUIT SOLONS HOLDING BIG MEETING

Philadelphia, Jan. 13.—Stewards of the Grand Circuit went into session here today and their conference will extend over tomorrow. This year's list of dates are to be issued, with the circuit increased, it is forecasted.

Your Hair

Hair specialists are tracing fewer and fewer troubles to the scalp — more to the neck, spine and arteries that carry the blood into the scalp. This effective neck treatment to grow hair often acts like a miracle. Get my treatment today, and begin to bring to your hair that growth, freshness and charm you have longed for. Come today to MASSEUR EFFORD, 194 Boylston St., Room 31.

Cox and Simonson Are Among Best Bets on Radio School Five

With two victories under its belt, the Naval Radio School basketball five is preparing for a busy season.

Orin Cox and Chubby Simonson of last year's quintet, are back on deck and the former is shooting baskets in his old Oregon Aggies form.

Carey, a new-comer, who is playing a forward position, also has developed a keen eye for the cage. Ayres, formerly of Great Lakes, is at the pivotal post, and Clifford, football end, is a companion back to Simonson.

Tabogganing tonight at Franklin Park.

Where to Skate

Ashmont	Good
Hillings Field	Good
Commons	Fair
Dorchester Park	Good
Franklin Field	Good
Gibson Playground	Good
Jamaica Pond	Good
Mystic Playground	Good
Neponset Playground	Good
Norfolk Street Playground	Good
No. Brighton Playground	Good
Pierce Field	Good
Public Gardens	Fair
Smith Pond, Hyde Park	Good
Strandway	Good
Sullivan Square	Fair
Wm. Eustis	Good
Wood Island	Good

1st Naval District to Stage Huge Athletic Meet on Feb. 15

George V. Brown, ever reliable athletic hustler, will be the active head in competing arrangements for the mammoth indoor meet the First Naval District will stage in the East Armory, February 15.

All registered athletes, as well as service men, will be eligible to compete.

The menu of service events: 60-yard dash, rescue race, obstacle race, three-legged relay, centipede relay and chariot relay.

Handicap events (open): 60-yard dash, 300-yard run, 880-yard run and one-mile run.

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Runnan, Marvin May, Canvas Back.
2—Pluviads, Verity, Edit Treator.
3—Happy Go Lucky, Squeezier, Kano.
4—Franklin, Dendie, Hank O'Day.
5—Kewpie O'Neil, Baby Lynch, Irregular.
6—Sundash II., Benefactor, Indolence.
7—Sleeth, Rhymer, Broom Peddler, Most Possible—FRANKLIN.

TOMLINSON TO CAPTAIN WESLEYAN COURT FIVE

Middletown, Ct., Jan. 13.—Edward R. Tomlinson has returned to Wesleyan and been elected captaincy of the basketball team.

Amusements.

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This Day in Our History

THIS is the anniversary of the authorization by Congress in 1777 of a new flag with thirteen stars in place of the British "union." After the republic was established a new star was added for each State admitted to the Union. There are now forty-eight stars in the flag.

Knowledge Is Folly Unless It Has Grace to Guide It Aright

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Mars Going to Meet Venus

MARS, the ruddy planet of war, is now so low in the west, in the constellation Aquarius, at the coming on of night, that few are likely to notice him. Still nearer the horizon, in the same constellation, is Venus, which instead of declining like Mars, is getting higher night by night.

Man Who Lost Himself

By H. DE VERE STACPOOLE

Humorous Tale of a Philadelphia Business Man Who Had a Title Thrust Upon Him

CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued

"LITTLE ones with long hair and bigger ones; they learn thrift lessons there; it's a school. The gardener left his ladder there one day and I climbed up. There were a lot of girls there. I nodded to them and they all came to the wall. I made them all laugh. I asked them to come over the wall and toss for sovereigns—then a lady came and told me to go away. She didn't seem to like me."

Jones, all during luncheon—the meal was served in his own apartments—revolved things in his mind. Smithers' account of Smithers' mania for handling gold had evidently been satisfied by giving him three few coins to play with. They were real ones, Jones had satisfied himself of that. Smithers, despite his want of chin, was evidently not a person to be put off with counterfeit coin. Jones had come down from London dressed just as he had called at Curzon street. That he is sassy, in a black morning coat and gray trousers. His tall hat had evidently been forgotten by his departers. After luncheon he asked for a cap to wear in the garden and was supplied with a gray tweed shooting cap of Hoover's.

With this on his head he took his seat in an arbor, an arbor which, he noticed, had its opening facing the house.

Here, smoking, he continued revolving his plans, and here afternoon tea was served to him.

Ten minutes later the colonel and the major began another game of croquet, and five minutes after that, came from the house Smithers, with a butterfly net in his hand.

Jones left the arbor and joined Smithers.

"The sovereigns have come," said Jones.

"The bag of sovereigns?"

"Yes, with a big red seal from the bankers. I'm going to give you fifty."

"Oh, Lord," said Smithers, "but you haven't said anything to Hoover?"

"Not a word—but you must do something for me before I give you them."

"What's that?"

"I want you to go up to Colonel Hawker and take him aside."

"Yes?"

"And tell him that Major Barstowe says he's a liar."

Sending Sovereigns

"Yes."

"That's all."

"That's easy enough," said Smithers.

"I'll stand by the wall here, and if any of the girls look over, as they probably will, for I'm going to whistle to them. I'll make them come over and toss for sovereigns."

"That would be a lark," said the unfortunate.

"Bother," said Jones. "I've forgot."

"What?"

"All my sovereigns are upstairs in the bag. I know—lend me yours whilst I'm waiting."

"I—I never lend sovereigns," said Smithers.

"Why, I'm going to give you fifty—and I only ask you to lend me five for a moment in case those girls—"

Smithers put his hand in his pocket and produced the coins they were in a little chamois leather bag. "Don't open the bag," said he, "just shake it and they'll know there are sovereigns in it by the noise."

"Right," said Jones, "you go and tell Colonel Hawker that Major Barstowe says he's a liar."

Smithers went off hurriedly, one in hand.

Jones was under no delusion. He reckoned that he and Smithers were under surveillance, and that a man getting over a wall would have little chance of reaching the street, unless he managed to distract the attention of watchers. He thought it probable that his conversation with Smithers had been watched, and possibly the handing over of some article noted.

There was a seat there, close to the wall. He sat down on it, pulled his cap over his eyes, and stretched out his legs. Then under the peak of the cap he watched Smithers approaching Colonel Hawker, interrupt him just as he was on the point of making a stroke, and lead him aside.

The effect on the colonel's mind of the interruption to his stroke, followed by the sudden information that his veracity had been impeached, was stupendous and ended up the slap on the side of the face that sent the butterfly hunter flying. The attack on Barstowe, who seemed to fight well, the cries, the shouts, the imprecations, the fact that half a dozen people, including the attendants, joined in the confusion as if by magic, all this was nothing to Jones, nor was the subsidiary fact that one of the inmates, a quiet mannered clergyman, with a taste for arson, had taken advantage of the confusion and was violently and gobustiously at work, firing the thatch of the Summer house in six different places, with a long-concealed box of matches.

No Girls There

Jones, on the crooze of the Colonel, had risen from the seat and with the aid of a wrought-iron plum tree, had reached the top of the wall and dropped on the other side into a bed of ingenuities. There was a monkey day at the school, and there were no girls in the garden. He ran across it to the open front gate and reached the road. Up and down the road, which was deserted, and burning in the late afternoon sunshine, reached a side road and discovered his car. All the roads were of the same pattern, broad, respectable, and lined with detached and semi-detached houses set in gardens, and labeled according to the owners, Old Anglo-Indian, *schools* and *nursing homes* here, *grocers* there, and one here and there houses by such names as "Tuckenow," "Cawsmore," etc., just as one sees names of their owners in Surrey. Jones, like an animal making for cover, pushed on till he reached a street of shops. A long, long street, running north and south with the shop fronts on the eastern side, sun-blinded and result. A peep of blue and perfect sea showed at the end of the street, and on the sea a little speck of a boat. Sanbourne-on-Sea is a pleasant place to stay at, but Jones did not want to stay there.

His mind was working feverishly. There was sure to be a railway station somewhere, and as surely, the railway station would be the first place they would hunt for him.

London was his objective, London and the National Provincial Bank, but of the direction or the distance to be travelled, he knew no more than the man in the moon.

CHAPTER XXIV.

He Runs to Earth

As the fox seeks an earth, he was seeking for a hole to hide in.

Across the road a narrow house, set between a fishmonger's shop and a seaside library, displayed in one of its lower wins dows a card with the word "Apartments." Jones crossed the road to the house and knocked at the half door. He waited a minute and a half, fifteen seconds, and, every second a framed vision of Hoover in pursuit. Hoover, with his assistants streaming like hounds on a hot scent. Then he found a decent bell and pulled it.

Almost on the pull the door opened, disclosing a hurtless, sharp-eyed, and cheerful-looking little woman of fifty or so, wearing a cameo brooch and cornelian rings. She wore other things, but they did not notice them.

"Have you rooms to let?" asked Jones.

"Well, sir, I have the front parlor unoccupied," replied the landlady, "and two bedrooms on the first floor. Are you any children?"

"No," said Jones. "I came down here alone for a holiday. My wife is in London."

She took him to the top front bedroom first. It was clean and tidy, just like herself, and gave a cheery view of the front parlor on the opposite side of the street.

Jones, looking out of the window, saw something that held him for a moment fascinated and forgetful of his surroundings and his companion. Hoover, no less, walking hurriedly and accompanied by a man who looked like a gardener, and they were peering up and down, looking about them as they went. Hoover had the appearance of a person who has lost a purse or some article of value, so Jones thought as he watched them vanish. He turned to the landlady.

"I like this room," he said, "it is cheerful and quiet, just the sort of place I want. Now let's see the parlor."

The parlor boasted of a horsehair sofa, chairs to match, plates to match, and a shelf of useful bookcase containing volumes of the Sunday Companion, Sword and Trowel, Home Influence, and Guide's "Mothie" in the old, yellow-back, two shilling edition.

"Very nice indeed," said Jones. "What do you charge?"

"Well, sir," said the landlady—her name was Henshaw—"it's a pound a week for the two rooms without board, two pounds with."

"Very nice indeed," said the artful Jones.

"No, sir."

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Capes and Dolmans

By Rita Stuyvesant

ALTHOUGH the majority of women would hesitate to make a wrap at home, nevertheless the models this season are so simple in outline that they can be made without extraordinary effort.

Capes and dolmans (draped wraps) are very much in evidence for all hours of the day, from tailored morning capes to those exquisitely rich velvet garments worn after eight o'clock. Women bound for the South after a year of strenuous war work must be sure to include one of these soft new wraps to envelope herself against chilly sea breezes.

A cape so simple in line that it had to depend upon the material for beauty, was lately seen on the avenue. Cut from brilliant red duvetyn, it was scarcely more than a straight length of material, gathered on to a round yoke and finished with a high roll collar, like a wall around the throat. Bizarre lining of grey crepe metlor figured with gold, green and purple was used. So simple was this model, that not even armholes were required.

For a more fussy wrap, a warm fur collar might be added. Old stole fur worth so be put to advantage for cape collars. Raccoon, nutria, squirrel, chinchilla, Hudson seal are all appropriate for this purpose.

Evening wraps may be cut after this same simple pattern, but should be fashioned of velvet or soft plush. Rose or blue is dainty for a debutante, and charmingly youthful when finished with a white fur collar.

The woman who feels lost without handbag or sleeves in her cloak will be interested in a smart new cape wrap. The body of the garment is attached to a deep, oval shaped yoke, with considerable fullness. There was a short sleeve like shelving at either side of the front, and was faced off with deep straight cuffs to simulate sleeves. A narrow edging of nutria outlined the collar, yoke and cuffs.

A Dead Letter

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When a Girl Marries

A NEW SERIAL OF YOUNG MARRIED LIFE

By Ann Lisle

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CHAPTER LXV.—Continued

"I'D like something to do, I—I don't want to think, Babbe," interpreted Neal; then, suddenly: "Say, Babbe, have you heard from father lately?"

"That's funny, Neal, I was going to ask you about that. I've written twice a week as usual ever since you came, but I've only had a few lines of postals from Father Andrew. I thought it was because he was writing to you."

"I've had exactly one letter from father since I came," Neal replied, in a voice that was almost husky.

"One letter! And you've been here over three weeks—almost a month! What does it mean, Neal?" I cried in consternation, slamming the door of the broiling oven on my cause and turning to face him.

There was a flash of defiance in his eyes as he responded:

"I guess he's been wishing he was your father, instead of mine," Neal said bitterly.

I went over and laid my hand on his shoulder.

"Neal, is there something you want to tell Babbie?"

"I'll keep my affairs to myself," replied Neal, shaking off my hand, and adding, with a boyish gruffness I might have known masked actual emotion, "I—I couldn't hurt when I talk about what really matters. No one believes in me. And maybe they're right not to. But I might be different if they did. You think I'm as fickle as the dodge, and that Dalton woman thinks I'm not to be trusted at all, and Jim——"

Truth Must Out

He stopped abruptly. His voice had grown rough and tone—it spoke on a high note.

"You, Neal?" asked Jim, quietly. He had bobbed across the living-room and stood in the doorway of the kitchenette. His face was stern and set. His voice had a ring of authority.

"You were saying that no one trusted you, Neal. You know you look so indignant—I wasn't eavesdropping. When I heard you shout that no one believed you I felt I must put in here as fast as my ankle would permit. So you think I don't trust you?"

"How can you trust me—knowing what you do?" Neal tried to hold his voice steady, but in spite of him, a broken note crept into it. "You've stood by loyal, time to help me. But what must you think of me—you with that smashed foot, you set in the fight I—I——"

Then he turned to me and flung his young head high as he choked out the confession it must have tortured him to make. And, strangely enough—instead of wavering away—Neal's eyes held mine as he muttered, hushily:

"I'm a slacker, Babbie. A draft-dodger. I ran away from home to get out of being a soldier—to get away from the draft."

CHAPTER LXVI.

"A SLACKER!" I gasped. "Oh, Neal, Neal, you've broken Father Andrew's heart!"

"I guess I have," said Neal, between his teeth. "That's why he doesn't write. He thinks you're not, too. He thinks you've helped me keep out of this war."

I tried to find some words of comfort.

"You always hated blood and disfigurement. From a child you hated scars and maiming. You can't help it, poor lad. Father mustn't blame you, but, Neal, Neal, darling, you will fight yourself, won't you? I'll go home and take whatever punishment there is, and then afterward you'll try to do your part?"

I slipped my arm through my poor young brother's and folded my hands across it. Then I turned to face my soldier-husband, whose greatest tragedy was that he could no longer fight. I wanted my eyes to send him a message pleading that he be gentle in his judgment of this lad of mine, whose tragedy was that he feared to fight. But Jim's eyes were tender—smiling—and it almost seemed they were triumphant.

"Good stock!" he said quietly. "I knew you'd stand by the boy—and still urge him to do the right thing. Well, lad, are you ready to do the right thing? It's simple enough after all. You've only to go down to the local draft board and report. They'll take care of the situation for you. And when you're called in your district they'll know where to lay hands on you."

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Advice to the Lovelorn

By Beatrice Fairfax

Subway Acquaintances

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

There is a young man who gets on the subway at the same station that I do and often at the same time. When my girl friend isn't along he smiles at me a little. Now I know he is a perfect gentleman, and I wouldn't flirt with him. But wouldn't it be all right for me to let him speak to me, just in a friendly way, since we see each other nearly every day? I know he would like to.

O. E. D.

I understand the temptation to speak, but please don't do it. It isn't ever wise to break the rule that was made for girls' protection, and that makes introductions obligatory. If the young man persists in his desire to know you he will doubtless find some means of being introduced to you.

A Timid Lover

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a soldier twenty-three years old, and I am engaged to a young girl of eighteen. I have been going around with her for the last two years, and she always seems one little of things except money. But since I have been away my mother writes me that the girl folks do not care much for me. My mother loves this girl also.

As she is deeply in love with me, and I love her, I am very much in need of advice. J. D.

Ask your sweetheart what her parents' objections are, and do your best to overcome them. Try to meet this matter frankly instead of in a roundabout way. What you really want to know, I suppose, is whether they will object to your marriage, and that you will have to find out by inquiry.

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The Hidden Truth

READ IT HERE DAILY AND THEN SEE THE PLAY

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By Jane McLean

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IN short manner was the betrothal of Miss Rose and Charles Taylor announced. There was only one thing to mar the performance of the occasion, and that lay like a canker in the mind of Helen.

It was with her when she went to bed, and her dreams, that should have been tinged with the happiness of love given and received, were haunted with the specter of deceit that reared an ugly head and demanded in a whisper that seemed to echo and resound the room, "Why didn't you tell him — why didn't you tell him?"

And continuous coming to the fore repeating the words as Helen tried in vain to find excuses. There came to her at last the thought that when he did know he would wonder how she could have kept the truth from him—and the specter broke in again with the terrifying refrain, "When he finds out he will never trust you again."

Hands of by times troubled visions she fell into a fitful sleep, little knowing that on the morrow Destiny would take the matter out of her hands and arrange matters in its own way.

With the first streaming in of the day's rays she heard Taylor about the house. She hurried out of bed and dressed. At least she told herself she would not be cheated of his love for the present.

"Helen, little girl," he called as she came down upon him in the lower hall—and kissed her with all the fervor of a boy of twenty.

"You see what a beautiful day it is—just the day for you and me—and nothing today is to do but no one else—now let's see what we'll do. First take a little walk; next go breakfast; next go to Tiffany's and pick out the ring—I'm curious to see you do it—you know I haven't had much practice at this sort of thing—next tea if as —must I shall take it home and ring it on before our esteemed aunt. Next we'll call on the Judge and Mrs. Blake—bless their hearts, they won't have the remotest idea of such a thing. Why, from the point of view of your accepting an old bachelor like me will make the Judge burst—he's a spoon, old fellow—and then we'll get up a nice little party and motor to some quiet inn and have dinner—how's that—pretty full day for people even when they're in love?"

"Charles"—she used the name timidly—"are you sure you'd love me, no matter if I weren't what I seem to be? Suppose I were a poor girl, with no friends and not the daughter of your old partner at all, would you love me just the same?"

"What a question," laughed the happy man. "It wouldn't make any difference to me who you were—I want me to prove it? Well, all you've got to do is to tell me that your father was a Hottentot and you are a Malay falander. Here comes Aunt Sarah, and now for breakfast!"

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Duplicated

William Wilkins was in imminent danger of having his driving license taken away. He had run down a man, and his victim hadn't the best chances of recovering.

"Didn't you know that if you struck this pedestrian he would be seriously injured?" inquired the judge of William Wilkins.

"Yes, sir," was the response.

"Then why didn't you signal your car and endeavor to miss him?" asked the judge again.

"He was signaling himself, and outguessed me, your honor," was the reply.

That Dog.

An old lady was boring her visitor with numerous anecdotes about her dog. "And do you know," she continued, "its really marvellous how intelligent my dog is. He knows everything I say."

"Just like mine," said the friend; "my husband and I were forced to learn Spanish on that account, so we could speak without the dog understanding us."

"There is one remedy I always keep in the house, and that is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It helps my digestion wonderfully and as a laxative it is pleasant and dependable."

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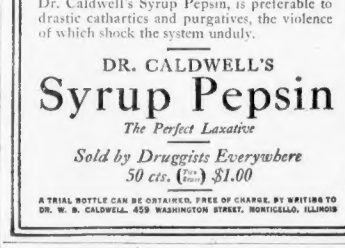

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THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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AH! SHE'S STOPPED AT LAST. NOW I'LL WALTZ RIGHT UP TO HER AND INTRODUCE MYSELF
AH, THERE LITTLE ONE—
YES—AND HE'S BEEN FOLLOWING ME FOR BLOCKS. I WISH YOU WOULD STOP HIM!
I'LL FIX HIM!
DERNO
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THAT SQUARES IT

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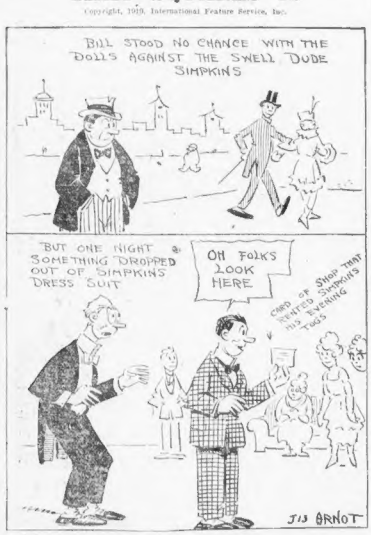
BILL STOOD NO CHANCE WITH THE DOLLS AGAINST THE SWELL DUDE SIMPKINS
BUT ONE NIGHT SOMETHING DROPPED OUT OF SIMPKINS' DRESS SUIT
OH FOLKS LOOK HERE
CARD OF SHOP THAT RENTED SIMPKINS HIS TAILS
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Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
DO BALDHEADED MEN MAKE GOOD HUSBANDS?
"BETTY"
YES—AND THEY LOOK THE PART!

BRINGING UP FATHER

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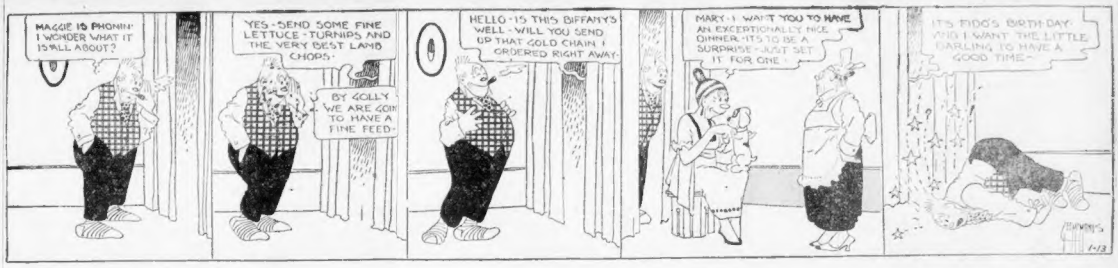
By George McManus


MAGGIE IS PHONIN' I WONDER WHAT IT IS ALL ABOUT?
YES—SEND SOME FINE LETTUCE—TURNIPS AND THE VERY BEST LAMB CHOPS.
BY GOLLY WE ARE GOIN TO HAVE A FINE FEED.
HELLO—IS THIS BIFFANY'S WELL—WILL YOU SEND UP THAT GOLD CHAIN I ORDERED RIGHT AWAY.
MARY—I WANT YOU TO HAVE AN EXCEPTIONALLY NICE DINNER—IT'S TO BE A SURPRISE—JUST SET IT FOR ONE.
IT'S FIDO'S BIRTH DAY AND I WANT THE LITTLE DARLING TO HAVE A GOOD TIME.
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JERRY ON THE JOB

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Jerry Is No McAdoo

GOSH—I CAN'T HIKE NO FURTHER WITH THIS PACK — WHAT'S THE FARE TO NEW MONIA?
DOLLAR EIGHTY
$1.80—AND HOW MUCH FOR SHIPPING THE PACK?
NOTHING—THE PACK RIDES FREE.
THAT'S JAKE WITH ME—SEND IT ALONG—I'LL WALK.

ABIE THE AGENT

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Looks Like Abie Is Going to Collect Damages

I THINK I'LL GO IN HERE IN THE RITZMORE HOTEL AND USE THEIR STATIONERY ROOM!
DO YOU BELONG IN THIS
IF YOU LET ME ONLY FINISH, I'LL GO RIGHT OUT—I GOT ONLY TWO MORE LINES TO WRITE!
NEXT DAY
IF HE ESKS ME AGAIN ANYTHING TODAY, I'LL HAVE ANOTHER EXCUSE—I'LL TELL HIM I'M WAITING FOR A BUYER, WHAT'S COMING IN TOWN TO STOP HERE!
ABE, IF I'M GOING AWAY TO CALIFORNIA FOR SIX MONTHS, THERE'S NO USE KEEPING THIS HOUSE OPEN. TOMORROW, YOU GO AWEND AND LIVE AT SOME HOTEL!
YOU GOT RIGHT, SISTER. I'LL GO TOMORROW AND REGISTER AT THE RITZMORE AND LIVE THERE—A FINE HOTEL!
HE'S A SMALL STOUT GUY, WITH STRIPED PANTS?
YES, WHEN HE SITS DOWN HERE TO WRITE A LETTER, THROW HIM OUT ON HIS EAR—DON'T LISTEN TO HIS EXCUSES!
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POLLY AND HER PALS

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Pa Knows Where He Is

IMAGINE A ELEPHANT LIKE THAT COMIN' TO CAMP ON THE FAMBLY!
I NEVER SAW SUCH A DOG!
DOG? WOT DOG?
THE NERVE OF HIM APPROPRIATIN' THE PARLOR OF ALL PLACES!
HEAVEN ONLY KNOWS WHERE HE CAME FROM!
WAL' I KNOW WHERE HE'S GOIN'!
RISSINALY, POLLY IS NEVER PAST SLEEP A WINK WITH THAT MAN EATIN' MUTT IN THE HOUSE!
I DON'T BLAME YOU, MA!
WAL'? DID YOU THROW THE POP OUTTA THE PARLOR?
NOT ME, MAW. I LOCKED HIM IN!
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US BOYS

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Skinny Is Playing in Luck

JIMMMY PADLOCKS I HOPE I DONT BUMP INTO EMILY TO-DAY, AND HAVE HER PESTER ME TO BE THE GUEST OF HONOR AT HER OLD ARMY DOLLS COMIN' OUT SHINDIG!
OH YOU BRUTE, YOU RUFFIAN, OH, MY, HOW YOU SCARED ME!
AWK!
AS LONG AS I LIVE I SHALL NEVER SPEAK TO YOU AGAIN!
YA WONT? GEE WHIZZ, THANKS!
BOOB SCALLYWAG RUFFIAN, BRUTE RAGAMUFFIN SCOUNDREL, DEEP DYED DILLAIN!—ER, ER!
WHOO!
TOM McNAMARA

OVER HERE

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Just a Little Impression

MOM PUTS THE KIBOSH ON WILLIES PRINTING BUSINESS, JUST WHEN HE'S POSSED FOR TIME.
YOU'LL HAVE TO TAKE THAT THING OUT OF HERE
YOU'RE GETTING THE HOUSE FULL OF INK
MOM LOST HER COMPOSURE
IT'S A SAD CASE
CARDS PRINTED CHEAP.
AW! MOM WILL YOU WAIT TILL I FINISH THIS JOB
IT'S ONLY A HUNDRED CARDS. IT WON'T TAKE MORE THAN A YEAR
GOSH! I'M GLAD HE WOULDN'T PRINT ANY CARDS FOR ME. I AIN'T SHE MEAN?
I KNOW HE'LL LOSE ALL HIS TYPE.
WHAT ARE YA DOING, WILLIE PRINTING?
PRINTER'S DEVIL
HE'S A CARD
SPEAKING OF PRINTING PRESSES, HOW PRINTS NISSES, AND HE'S PRESSING HIS SUIT ALL THE TIME
VACANT
BLURBER HE'S AS SENSIBLE AS A NAIL WITHOUT A HEAD.
YOU MIGHT CALL WILLIE A TYPE UPSETTER, EH, STUPE.
COMEDIAN (IT WOULDN'T BE GOOD FORM.)
WHAT ABOUT L. THE FOREMAN OF THE PRESS, MOM?
I LIKE MOM MY BEST
ITS POOR WILLIE INSTEAD OF OLIVER
ISN'T THE PAY HATTIE IS WEARING A LINE TYPE?
DON'T HAVE EXPENSIVE AT HOME CARDS PRINTED. YOU'RE APT TO BE OUT
HOW MANY BLOTS IN A BARREL OF INK?
OL' JOHN DON'T
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Stocks Dull and Irregular in Price Changes

PRICES WEAKEN IN NEW YORK MARKET

U. S. Steel Sells at Lowest Since the Armistice Was Signed

By W. H. ROSS,
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Stocks were quiet during midday and early in the afternoon, with prices showing a downward tendency. A number were at their lowest, losing all gains. U. S. Steel had sold previously at 99⅜, the lowest figure it has touched since the armistice was signed. Marine preferred had sold as low as 104⅜, off 2⅜. Distillers had declined 1½ to 53. Industrial Alcohol was off a point at 102, and Tobacco Products had receded 1¼ to 78⅝. American Ice had receded 1¾ to 42.

Morning weakness in Cuban Cane Sugar was attributed to professional selling and the decline in American Beet Sugar was due to the demand of farmers for a flat rate of $10 a ton for beets. The decline of American Hide and Leather was said in New York to be due to cessation of pool support. It is expected that its report for the final 1918 quarter will show it has earned double the usual quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred.

While the market was fair from showing strength at the start, it is said that uniformity of stock were very limited. Foreign news, particularly that from Germany, was considered favorable.

MARKETS QUIET AT OPENING.

Both New York and Boston markets were quiet at the opening and irregularity marked the lists in earliest transactions. In New York U. S. Steel sold first at 99⅜, a decline of ¼ from Saturday's closing figure. Anaconda was up ⅛ at 60, American Smelting advanced ⅝ to 73½, Southern Pacific ⅛ to 101, and Marine Mercantile preferred was up ⅛ at 105¼.

There was no feature to the Boston market except Massachusetts Electric preferred, which opened at 15 and during the morning sold up to 15½. Swift & Co. was next in activity in local trading. Coppers were dull and in most instances eased off. The market base was listless.

PRICES WEAKEN IRREGULAR.

Prices improved a little in New York after a few minutes and then a slight recessional followed. In fact, throughout the morning the valuation movement was irregular and without significance. Most fluctuations were fractional, but at one time American Beet Sugar showed a loss of more than two points. Before noon it had recovered half of the decline. Cuba Cane receded more than a point, but subsequently recovered partly. Sugar issues were weak as a class. American Hide and Leather preferred was weak, going down 2½ before noon.

RAILROADS WERE NEGLECTED.

There was comparatively little trading in railroad securities. Southern Pacific was the most active stock in this group, advancing a fraction, soon showing a loss and then recovering for further gain. Union Pacific advanced a point on a few sales. Coppers were quiet, oils were strong, as were motors, while there was limited demand for Marine issues. The preferred was strong all the morning.

U. S. STEEL CLIMBED SLOWLY.

United States Steel climbed slowly after opening at a small loss. Before 12 o'clock it sold as high as 91¼. Bethlehem was weak and inactive. It showed a loss of more than a point at one time, but partially recovered. The decrease of 145,000 tons in the unfilled tonnage of the U. S. Steel Corporation during December is still an unsettling influence upon the market.

Mexican Petroleum was one of the most active stocks in New York and advanced more than three points before midday.

FINANCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Wall street holdings of U. S. Steel common were reduced considerably during the last quarter of 1918, the decrease in the amount held in the name of brokers during that period being 165,729 shares. Shares held in Germany increased from 874 to 891.

There is more demand for steel products in the domestic market, according to trade reports. Inquiry is greatest at present for truck supplies.

A number of railroads are expected to apply soon to the War Finance Corporation for large loans. Carriers are in need of new equipment and the government may aid them in providing for such wants. War Finances Corporation loans to roads so far total about $25,500,000.

The Central & South American Telegraph Company proposes to increase its capital stock from $14,000,000 to $25,000,000.

The petition of the New York Telephone Company to merge with the New York Telephone Company of Delaware and the Atlantic Telephone Company of New Jersey has been refused by the Public Utilities Commission of New Jersey.

News From Copper Mines.

The Seneca Copper Corporation is now driving its shaft through the Keweenaw lode. The vein was reached at a depth of about 1,450 feet. The work cost $437,523 up to the end of last year.

The December output of North Butte was 2,239,597 pounds of copper, 97,443 ounces of silver and 155 ounces of gold, compared with 1,802,585 pounds of copper, 72,748 ounces of silver and 135 ounces of gold in November.

A Calumet dispatch says that there are thirty-five drills operating in No. 1 shaft on the Pewabic lode of the Franklin company.

The Mayflower-Old Colony shaft was sunk 17 feet in December and had attained a depth of 830 feet at the end of the year. It is planned to drive the first crosscut at the 1,000-foot level, although it is not expected to penetrate the Mayflower lode before the 1,700-foot level is reached.

War Cost for Allies and Foe Mounts to $166,700,000,000

Financiers are busy calculating the probable cost of the war. It can be approximated in dollars an' in deaths, but the amount of general misery and suffering it has entailed is beyond computation. In estimating the Indebtedness of the seven principal nations which took part in the conflict, the Mechanics and Metals National Bank of New York places the gross debt of the United States, Great Britain, France, Russia, Italy, Germany and Austria at the beginning of this year at a total of $194,000,000,000. On August 1, 1914, their debts amounted to $27,300,000,000 only.

The war cost the Entente Nations, including the United States and Italy, $130,000,000,000, and the Teutonic nations $64,000,000,000. The cost to the United States is figured at $21,000,000,000, Great Britain $40,000,000,000, France $20,000,000,000, Russia $27,000,000,000, Italy $12,000,000,000, Germany $40,000,000,000, and Austria $24,000,000,000.

Another estimate in regard to war costs of the United States alone is that expenditures in twenty months for our own account totalled $15,300,000,000, while we loaned $7,648,000,000 to allies. The aggregate receipts of the United States government for the twenty months were $4,492,000,000. "But," it is stated, "from this must be deducted some $18,200,000,000 representing certificates of indebtedness sold in anticipation of bond issues and taxes and paid off from the proceeds. Net amount may be set down as $28,300,000,000. Of this, practically $13,400,000,000, or 72 per cent., was met by loans and $5,347,000,000, or 22 per cent., raised by revenue."

Boston Stocks

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Last
Am Ag Chem	101	101	101	101
Am Ac Chem pf	98½	98½	98½	98½
Ahmeek	71	71	71	71
Alaska Gold	4	4	4	4
Am Tel & Tel	101¼	101¼	100¾	101
Anaconda	59¾	60	59¾	60
Am Sug pf	114⅞	114⅞	111⅞	114⅞
Am Sug Ref pf	115	115	115	115
Am Woolen pf	96	96⅞	96	96
Am Zinc	12	12	12	12
Atlantic	27⅛	60	59¾	59¾
Arcadian	1½	1½	1½	1½
Am Commercial	31½	31½	31½	31½
Booth Fisheries	21¼	21¼	21	21
Boston Elevated	71	71½	70½	70½
Boston Elevatedpf	80	80	80	80
Butte-Balaklava	22	22	21	22
Cal & Arizona	60½	61	59	59
Cal & Hecla	435	435	435	435
Century Steel	15	15	15	15
Conn River R R	113	113	113	113
Copper Range	42	42	41¾	41¾
Cub Pot Cermo	12½	12½	12	12
Davis-Daly	5	5	5	5
East Boston	6	6	6	6
East Butte	9	9	9	9
Edison Electric	169	169	169½	169½
Fairbanks Co	57½	57½	57½	57½
General Electric	149¾	149¾	149¾	149¾
Gorton-Pew	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼
Hancock	53½	53½	53½	53½
Island Oil	3	3	3	3
Lake Copper	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Isle Royale	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Kerr Lake	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Mass Gas Co	85	85	85	85
Mass Gas pf	71	71	71	71
Mass Electric	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Mass Electric pf	15	15¾	15¾	15¾
Mayflower-O C	2	2¾	2¾	2¾
Mohawk	54	54	54	54
New Cornelia	16½	16½	16½	16½
New Haven R R	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
N Y N H & H	92	92	92	92
Oilsbway Mining	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Osceola Mining	59½	59	59	59
Old Colony	53	53	53	53
Punta Sugar	53	53	53	53
Quincy	60	60	60	60
Shannon Cop	3	3	2¾	2¾
St. Mary's Land	40	40	40	40
Stewart Mfg Corp	34½	34½	34½	34½
Superior & Boston	2¾	2¾	2½	2½
Superior Copper	40	40	40	40
Swift & Co	124½	124½	123½	123½
Tbot Cl Plat	95	95	95	95
Torrington	82½	83½	82½	82½
Trinity Copper	3	3	3	3
Utah Cons	8	8¼	8	8
Utile Dev Co	95	95	95	95
United Fruit	160	160	160	160
U S Steel	99¼	91¼	99¾	99¾
U S Steel pf	44½	44½	43½	43½
United Shoe Mach	44¼	44	44	44
U S Machpf	27¾	27½	27¼	27½
U S Rubber	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
W E R R	47	47	47	47
Winona	90	90	90	90
Ventura Oil	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Lib L 3½	99.04	99.04	99.04	99.04
1st 4's, 1923-47	92.14	92.14	92.14	92.14
2d 4's, 1927-42	92.12	92.14	92.12	92.14
1st 4¼'s, 1932-47	96.34	96.34	96.04	96.04
2d 4¼'s, 1927-42	95.46	95.84	94.84	94.86
3d 4¼'s, 1928	98.04	96.16	95.80	95.88
4th 4¼'s, 1938	95.90	95.88	95.42	95.44

Corporation Earnings

For the fiscal ended July 31 last the Central Aguirre Sugar Company reports profits of $63.70 a share before income and excess profit taxes. Profits on the 35,000,000 stock for the previous year were $67.60 a share. Gross for the 1919 year amounted to $5,550,967, compared with $5,935,639 in 1917 and $4,262,329 in 1916. Surplus was $712,365, against $227,403 for 1917. Owing to a lack of shipping facilities President Aguirre says the company had a small part of its sugar in storage at Aguirre.

Oil Figures for Year

While petroleum production in this country in 1918 totalled the high record figures of 345,000,000 barrels, domestic requirements for the year are estimated by the Geological Survey at around 366,000,000 barrels. As a consequence the surplus stock was drawn upon to a considerable extent and imports from Mexico and elsewhere reached an important total.

MYSTERY IN SHOOTING OF BOATSWAIN'S MATE

Taunton, Jan. 13—The police are investigating a mysterious murderous assault alleged to have been committed on Leander D. Chace, a chief boatswains mate and aide, for information of the United States navy, by an unidentified man in navy uniform. Chace is stationed at Newport, R. I.

He was brought to the office of Dr. John A. Hunt in Taunton with a bullet wound in his left forearm.

COPPER METAL IN NO DEMAND AT FIXED PRICE

Committee Will Go Abroad in Endeavor to Stimulate Buying in Europe

Uncertainty is the dominating factor in the copper metal market at present. While it is stated that small lots have been disposed of at from 20 to 21 cents a pound, such sales have little bearing upon the price situation. It is said that where large orders have been placed at 22 cents it has been stipulated that the price should be adjusted in the event of a market decline.

PLAN TRIP TO EUROPE.

Foreign consumers are showing no disposition to pay 22 cents for first quarter delivery and demand from abroad is so light that a committee representing the Copper Export Association, Inc., will sail for Europe on Monday next to confer with metal authorities there as to the best means of stimulating demand. This committee should learn not only what foreign consumers are willing to pay, but get an idea of the probable needs in 1919 of consumers in England, France, Belgium and Italy. The Copper Export Association has sold no metal in several weeks, or since its organization. In this country consumers are hesitant about buying in any quantities at the present price, owing to doubts as to what course business in general will take in the Spring.

With demand slow, producers are manifesting a disposition to curtail their output, as recent monthly reports from mines indicate. In some quarters it is believed that managements may reduce production by one-half unless there is radical improvement in buying. The metal surplus has been increasing rapidly of late. Production has been on a large scale for several years. The Anaconda, Phelps Dodge, Utah, Kennecott, Inspiration, Ray Consolidated, Chino, Nevada Consolidated, and Miami—nine companies which mine approximately 60 per cent. of the country's output—reported total production of 1,248,274,321 pounds in 1918, against 1,192,302,000 in 1917.

COPPER MINING NEWS.

A Butte dispatch states that Anaconda's production has been curtailed about 60 per cent. It closed its Pennsylvania mine, which employs 750 men and smelts 1,200 tons a day on the average, Friday night last, and smelting is looked for locally in the immediate future, there are signs of a relaxing tendency here. In some quarters an increase in funds is expected in a week or so. But the cash requirements of the government continue to be so large that no easier money position is probable for a long period.

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In Boston the prevailing rate for money on call is 6 per cent., which is the ruling rate for time money. The range for commercial paper is from 6 to 6 per cent., with 6 per cent. the rate. Year money is 6 per cent.

In New York, near the end of the week, call loans were made at the Stock Exchange as low as 3½ per cent., but 4 per cent. was the ruling rate on Saturday. Time money was quoted at 5½ per cent. for sixty and ninety days.

NEW YORK BANKS LOSE IN SURPLUS RESERVE

The New York bank statement of Saturday was in regard to last week's total condition of Clearing House members' surplus reserve of $54,614,270, a decrease of $2,977,850 from the previous week. As to average conditions, the reserve was $45,015,790, an increase of $925,650. The report in full follows:

Clearing House Members' Actual Condition.

	Jan. 12, 1919	Changes from previous week
Surplus	$54,614,270	Dec. $2,977,850
Loans, etc.	3,245,000,000	Dec. 15,000,000
Specie	117,457,000	Dec. 780,000
Net demand deposits	539,924,000	Dec. 8,158,000
Net time deposits	10,640,000	Inc. 474,000
Circulation	19,922,000	Inc. 1,453,000
Net Demand Dep.	$522,179,000	Dec. 7,298,000
Net Time Depos.	142,767,000	Inc. 2,372,000
Gr. deposits	665,946,000	Dec. 4,926,000
Legals' reserve	161,493,000	Dec. 5,771,000
Actual reserve	218,160,000	Dec. 3,691,000
Clearing House Members' Average Condition.		
Loans, etc., in Fed. Res.	$2,774,576,000	Dec. $1,927,000
Loans, etc.	4,743,693,000	Dec. 51,927,000
Specie	113,321,000	Inc. 1,552,000
Net demand dep.	550,884,000	Dec. 1,833,000
Net time dep.	11,093,000	Inc. 37,000
Circulation	19,922,000	Inc. 1,453,000
Legals' reserve	161,493,000	Dec. 5,771,000
Actual reserve	218,160,000	Dec. 3,691,000
Excess reserve	54,614,270	Dec. 2,977,850

Corporation Earnings

During the ten months ended with October last the Tobacco Products Corporation earned $2,831,135, available for dividends after providing for excess profits taxation. Provision for a 7 per cent. dividend for a full year would leave a balance equivalent to $12.70 a share for the common. The last three quarterly dividends on this issue, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, were paid in 7 per cent. scrip. The policy of the management is to conserve cash resources.

For the first eleven months of last year gross business of the Ajax Rubber Company was at the rate of more than $22,000,000 a year, and earnings were at the rate of nearly $24 a share before taxes and depreciation charges.

Earnings of the United Fruit Company during the 1918 calendar year are estimated as exceeding 40 per cent. Profits for the current fiscal year are said to be in excess of the corresponding previous period, when they equalled 40 per cent.

Dividend Declarations

The monthly dividend of 1 per cent. on common stock just declared by the General Petroleum Company is payable January 21 on stock of record January 15.

The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent., payable January 31 on stock of record January 21.

Federal Reserve Earnings

Net earnings of the New York Federal Reserve Bank for 1918 approximated 100 per cent. of its capital of $20,820,000, compared with 23.2 per cent. for 1917. Net earnings of the Chicago Federal Reserve Bank in 1918 were 60.8 per cent. on a paid in capital of $11,188,000.

New York Stocks

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Last
Alaska	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Allis-Chalmers	35¼	34½	33⅝	33½
Am Beet Sug	69¾	69¾	67¾	69
Am Can	48¼	48⅝	48	48⅛
Am Can & Fdry	80½	80	80½	80
Am Cot Oil	43¾	44	43¾	44
Am H & L	14⅝	15	14⅛	14⅛
Am H & L pf	76¼	76⅝	74⅜	75¼
Am Linseed Oil	50	50½	49⅞	50¼
Am Loco	60¼	60½	60	60⅛
Am Smelting	73½	73⅝	72⅝	73
Am Sid F Ldries	85	85	82	83
Am Sumatra	97	97	96¼	96¾
Am Sugar	113⅞	114⅛	113⅜	114⅛
Am Tel & Tel	100¼	100¼	100¼	100¼
Anaconda	60¼	60½	59½	60
Atchison	92¾	92¾	92¼	92¼
Baldwin Loco	74	74¾	73¾	73¾
Beth Steel B	80¾	80¾	78½	78½
Booth Fisheries	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Brooklyn R T	24½	25⅝	24½	25⅛
Butte Sup	26¼	26¾	25¾	25¾
Cal Petrol	23	23	23	23
Can Pacific	154½	159	158½	158½
Cent Leather	88¼	89⅝	88¼	89⅛
Ches & Ohio	56	56	56	56
Chi M & St Paul	40½	40⅝	40¼	40¼
Chino	33⅝	34	33⅝	34
Col Fuel	36¾	36¾	36¼	36¼
Consol Gas	80¾	80¾	80¼	80¼
Corn Products	49½	49¾	49¼	49⅝
Crucible Steel	58¾	58¾	58¼	58¼
Cuba Cane Sug	25½	25⅝	24¾	25⅛
Distillers Sec	53½	54¼	53¾	54⅛
Erie	17	17	16¾	16¾
Gaston & W & W	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Gen Elec	150	150	150	150
Gen Cigar	53	53	52⅝	52⅝
Gen Motors	128⅝	128⅝	128⅛	128⅛
Goodrich	38	38	38	38
Greene-Can	43	43	43	43
Gt Nor Ore	36¼	36¼	35¾	35¾
Ins Explos	44	44¼	43¾	44
Int Paper	30¾	30¾	30¼	30¼
Interboro Cons	5¾	6⅜	5¾	5¾
Int Nickel	31	31	30¾	30¾
Kennecott	32¾	32¾	32¼	32¼
Lack Steel	65¼	68¾	65	68
Lead & Nath	119	119	119	119
Mer Marine pf	104¼	109	106¾	106¾
Mex Petrol	178½	182¾	178¼	179¾
Miami Copper	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¼
Midvale Steel	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Mo Pacific	23¾	24¼	23¾	23¾
Nat'l Enam & Stp	46¼	46⅝	46	46
N Y Air Brake	104	104	104	104
N Y Central	74¾	74¾	74¼	74¾
New Haven	31¾	31¾	31	31
Nevada Cons	16¾	16¾	15¾	15¾
Ohio Cities Gas	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
Ontario Arrow	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Pitts Coal	47	47	47	47
Penn R R	45¾	45¾	44¾	44¾
Ray Cons	20¾	20¾	20¼	20¼
Reading	81	81¾	81	81¾
Rep I & S	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
Royl Dutch	73	74¾	73	74¾
Sinclair Oil	34½	35	34¾	35
So Pacific	101¼	101¾	100¾	101¾
So Railway	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
Studebaker	52	52	51¾	52
Texas Co	185	189¼	185	188¼
Tex & Pac	32¾	32¾	32	32¾
Tobacco Prod	78¼	78¼	78¼	78¼
Un Pacific	161	162	161	162
Un Pacific pf	128	128¼	128	128¼
Un Cigar S	115	115¼	115	115¼
U S Alcohol	102¾	102¾	102½	102¾
U S Rub	88	87	86¾	87
U S Steel	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
Utah Copper	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
Westinghouse	41¾	41¾	41¼	41⅝
Willys-Overland	25¾	25¾	25¼	25½
Wilson & Co	71½	71½	71¼	71¼
Woolworth	130	130	130	130

Money Market

While the Boston money market is characterized by higher rates than have prevailed in other financial centres in the country, and no marked change is looked for locally in the immediate future, there are signs of a relaxing tendency here. In some quarters an increase in funds is expected in a week or so. But the cash requirements of the government continue to be so large that no easier money position is probable for a long period.

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Bonds and Loans

The application of the Pennsylvania Railroad to issue general mortgage bonds to the amount of $50,000,000 to reimburse itself for capital expenditures, additions and betterments during the four months ended October last has been approved by the New Jersey Public Utility Commission.

The city of Springfield, Mass., will receive bids up to 11 a. m., January 16, for discounting $500,000 notes, maturing November 11, 1919.

The city treasurer of Holyoke, Mass., has awarded to Salomon Brothers & Hutzler a temporary loan of $200,000 at 4.15 discount. Other bids were Blake Brothers 4.22 plus 14, and Conway Trust Company 4.24. F. S. Moseley & Co. 4.27, and S. N. Bonds & Co. 4.34.

Ingot Production Decreased

Steel ingot production in this country during 1918 is estimated by the American Iron & Steel Institute at 12,212,000 tons, while the actual production in 1917 was 44,519,000 tons. Production in December last was but 1,092,000 tons, according to the same authority. The high record production for a month in 1918 was 3,352,194 tons in October.

Boston Wool Shipments

Shipments of wool from Boston from January 1 to December 1 inclusive this year, the Commercial Bulletin states, were 1,648,093 pounds, compared with 2,046,689 for the corresponding period in 1918. Receipts from January 1 to January 9 inclusive this year were 2,974,955 pounds, compared with 12,288,309 for the corresponding period a year ago.

Canadian Rail Earnings

Gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Northern for 1918 totalled $237,044,032, compared with $248,483,907 for 1917. In 1914 their total was $170,753,772.

Steel Production Costs

While steel trade wages advanced 120 per cent. from 1902 to 1918, inclusive, labor expense in this field is estimated now to be but 78 per cent. of the total of production cost. Many devices have been introduced into the industry to save labor.

COOLIDGE WANTS BUILDING WORK RESUMED

Governor Sees Chance to Benefit Thousands of Workmen

Immediate resumption of public buildings by the state, counties, cities and towns is urged by Governor Calvin Coolidge, because of widespread unemployment of thousands of workmen.

"What is needed is the courage to act," he says, "as a means of insuring a return of great prosperity."

Governor Coolidge says:

Most entrusted with the grave responsibility of managing the business affairs of Massachusetts are now called on to decide whether they will continue as usual their activities as far as possible, or wait to see if there is a decline in prices. No doubt there will be a decline in some directions. The public question is how best to proceed now for the general welfare.

TWO THINGS TO DO.

"It seems clear that a gradual decline would be preferable to a perpendicular fall in prices. It should be remembered that prices of labor and materials are all relative. When once adjusted the amount is not of great importance.

"There are two things to do. One is to wait. The other is to go on with business activity. If everybody waits there no doubt will be a perpendicular fall with attending want, distress and calamity. If people will go ahead with business, while there may be a gradual decline, it can be corrected with little inconvenience.

"It is my strong belief that this is the time of duty. There have been calls made not also large profits in the past months. I realize that business is and ought to be conducted for a profit still there is not only the duty but the expediency of keeping the working force, the organization, in full tissue.

LABOR MUST BE CONSIDERED.

"We have all worked together to win the war. Let us all work together to enjoy the blessings of peace. The working people of Massachusetts, the most valuable possession, must be considered, and they must be maintained.

"Instead of being the sport of chance, Massachusetts ought to be the master of destiny. Instead of waiting, we should act. Government has released raw materials, labor and transportation. There is plenty of money which makes a demand for merchandise. There ought to be no lack of a disposition to act, no lack of enterprise.

"The question is, where to begin? A committee working with our Board of Labor and Industries suggests the revival of building.

"This industry has been at a standstill for the past two years. It is in its nature basic. A contract for any kind of building at once makes the opportunity for other contracts for steel, cement, brick, lumber, plumbing, steam heating, electrical equipment and all other materials required in construction. This would mean the employment of large numbers of people in various industries manufacturing these materials.

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DEATHS

BAGLEY—In South Boston, Jan. 12, Annie F. Bagley, aged 68 years. Funeral from residence of her sister, Mrs. Mary Leary, 328 East Fourth st., Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

BAUCH—In Arlington, Jan. 9, Frederick J. Bauch of Malden. Funeral services at his late residence, 44 Sycamore st., Malden, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BERRY—In East Boston, Jan. 11, Ida May Berry, aged 39 years. Funeral from parents' residence, 244 Bremen st., Monday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BLAKE—In East Boston, Jan. 12, Helen M. Blake, aged 20 years, daughter of Arthur F. and Helen F. Blake. Funeral Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from residence, 91 Wordsworth st. Monday at 2 p. m.

BOYD—In Boston, Jan. 11, Elizabeth A. Boyd, aged 73 years. Funeral at her late residence, 444 Summer st., Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BROWN—In Dorchester, by request, Jan. 11, Mary Brown, widow of Thomas Brown of Ross (no flowers). Funeral from late residence, 37 Dorset st., Dorchester, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m. Interment in family lot at Mount of Holy Cross. Relatives and friends invited.

BURROWS—In Needham, Jan. 10, Charles F. Burrows, aged 70 years. Services Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m., at residence of his son, Nathan Burrows, Needham. Kindly omit flowers.

CASEY—In Boston, Jan. 10, Katherine A. Casey, wife of James J. Casey, at her home, 1 Bellevue st., Roxbury. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8:30 a. m., from her late residence. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

CAVANAUGH—In this city, Jan. 9, Joseph, beloved son of Mrs. Thomas Cavanaugh of Revere.

BOYD—In Boston, Jan. 11, Margaret A. Boyd, aged 73 years. Funeral from her late residence, 444 Summer st., Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

CLEVELAND—At Faxton Hospital, Montague, Mass., Jan. 9, Frederick C. Cleveland of 95 Highland st., Dorchester, aged 57 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 95 Highland st., Dorchester, Monday, Jan. 13, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

CONROY—In Roxbury, Jan. 11, Catherine Conroy, widow of Michael Conroy, aged 77 years. Funeral from her late home, 126A Hunneman st., Roxbury, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

D'AMATO—In Boston, Jan. 10, Emma, beloved daughter of James and Florence D'Amato, aged 2 years.

Funeral from residence of her mother, 61 Bennington st., East Boston, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

SCHLITZER—In Jamaica Plain, Jan. 11, after a lingering illness, Mary Schlitzer, aged 70 years.

Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Dolan, 73 Glenway st., Jamaica Plain, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Thomas' church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

STARR—In Winthrop, Jan. 11, Florence Ferguson, wife of Walter M. Starr, in her 39th year.

Funeral from late residence, 198 Somerset ave., Winthrop, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

TANDBERG—In Dorchester, Jan. 10, Thorlif Tandberg, aged 70 years, husband of Thorvald and Alvilda Tandberg, late Sauer.

Funeral from his late residence, 1 Ellis Square, Neponset, Dorchester, Monday, Jan. 13, at 2 p. m. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

TILTON—In Belgium, Jan. 10, Kathryn A., wife of Lieut. Col. Edwin R. Tilton, U. S. A., and daughter of late James and Mary Lane, 137 Murdock st., Brookline, aged 44 years, 11 mos. and 7 days.

TUTT—In West Medford, Jan. 11, Peter J. Tutt.

Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edward J. Dolan, 73 Glenway st., Jamaica Plain, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 8 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Thomas' church at 9 o'clock. Interment at Waltham. Auto cortege.

TURNER—In Hamilton, Jan. 11, Adelaide C., wife of Homer Turner of Bethel, Me. Services private.

WALL—In Dorchester, Jan. 10, William P. Wall, aged 57 years, husband of Nellie (Welch) Wall. Funeral from his late residence, 79 Meredith st., Monday, Jan. 13, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Matthew's church at 9 o'clock. Interment in Mount Hope cemetery.

WINN—In Jamaica Plain, Jan. 12, Annie Winn, widow of Frederick Winn, aged 77 years. Funeral from residence of her son, Benjamin H. Winn, 3 Bickford st., Jamaica Plain, Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 2 p. m. Services at St. Thomas' church at 3 o'clock. Interment in Forest Hills cemetery. In H. B. Hall's parlors please room. Auto cortege.

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What the Railroads Demand. Will They Get It?

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The country has heard what private ownership of railroads demands. It wants the roads returned to private owners, with permission to manage them as they please, making such combinations and deals as they choose, uniting on terminals, agreeing on rates, ignoring all the terms of the Sherman law.

And incidentally, then, demand passenger and freight rates higher than the present rates—although the rates within two years have been increased in many cases fifty per cent. and more.

The request of private ownership is in plain English:

"Give us back our railroads, with permission to raise rates and get out of them all that the traffic will bear."

The railroads want one especial Cabinet officer to look after their affairs. They want legislation that will guarantee them money enough to run in their own way, and legislation that will free them from strikes. They want everything that government ownership could give, plus the right to continue the system under which the railroads were allowed to run down in nearly every case, bankrupted and gutted in other cases.

And the railroads believe that they will get what they want, for they have great confidence in the Congress that moves in next March.

They will probably get what they want NOW. Later they may be sorry they got it. They have the opportunity at present to make a good bargain with the people of the United States. But if those people, well described by Lord Northcliffe as "very docile," experience hard times for a few years, a new kind of administration and a new kind of Congress may carry through a bargain that will make railroad owners turn tearful, yearning eyes back to Woodrow Wilson, McAdoo and their gentle proposition.

The present administration is willing to rebuild the bankrupt railroads, take hundreds of millions from the people in cash for cars, locomotives and rails, and thousands of millions in increased rates and wages, and give the railroad exploiters, without any worry or responsibility, the highest profits that they ever made in their best years.

If private owners of railroads were advised by men that understand the temper of the American people instead of being advised by corporation attorneys who only understand how to get big fees out of corporations, they would hesitate about throwing away the chance that is before them now.

Ambition Falsely Gratified Does Harm

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The moving power in humanity is a strange thing that we call AMBITION.

We have in us three fundamental ATTRACTIONS OR PASSIONS—call them what you will.

First is the instinct of SELF-PRESERVATION, which makes us keep alive and stay here on this earth.

The second is the instinct of the family, of paternity, which provides for generations to succeed us when we go.

Third is AMBITION, WHICH CAUSES PROGRESS.

That strange thing, ambition, exists, big or little, in all of us.

And it is ambition that makes the man lose his life trying to manage a flying machine.

Our instinctive love of life keeps us here. Our love of the family provides endless generations. AMBITION HAS LIFTED US FROM THE LOWEST SAVAGERY TO OUR PRESENT PLANE, AND IT WILL LIFT US EVENTUALLY TO REAL CIVILIZATION, TO THE REALIZATION OF OUR HIGH DESTINY ON THIS EARTH.

Ambition is the tool with which divine wisdom forces men onward. It is the eternal, restless element in our being that COMPELS US CONSTANTLY TO FRESH EFFORT.

The greatest things that have been done by man have not helped him or made him any happier individually, EXCEPT INASMUCH AS THEY HAVE GRATIFIED THE RESTLESS AMBITION THAT WILL BE SATISFIED.

Ambition is the craving for recognition from our fellow men. And, almost without exception, the man of ambition is COMPELLED TO MAKE HIS MARK BY HELPING HIS FELLOWS.

The unknown genius who gave us the mariner's compass, sending it to Europe from the East through the Arabs, satisfied his ambition, BECAUSE HE TAUGHT HIS FELLOW MEN TO FIND THEIR WAY ON THE DESERT OF WATER.

The genius that gave us the law of gravitation and the differential calculus gratified a pure ambition by adding to human knowledge and giving a new conception of the grandeur of the universe.

Anything that satisfies man's ambition without forcing him to HELP HIS FELLOW MEN is a detriment to him and a detriment to the race.

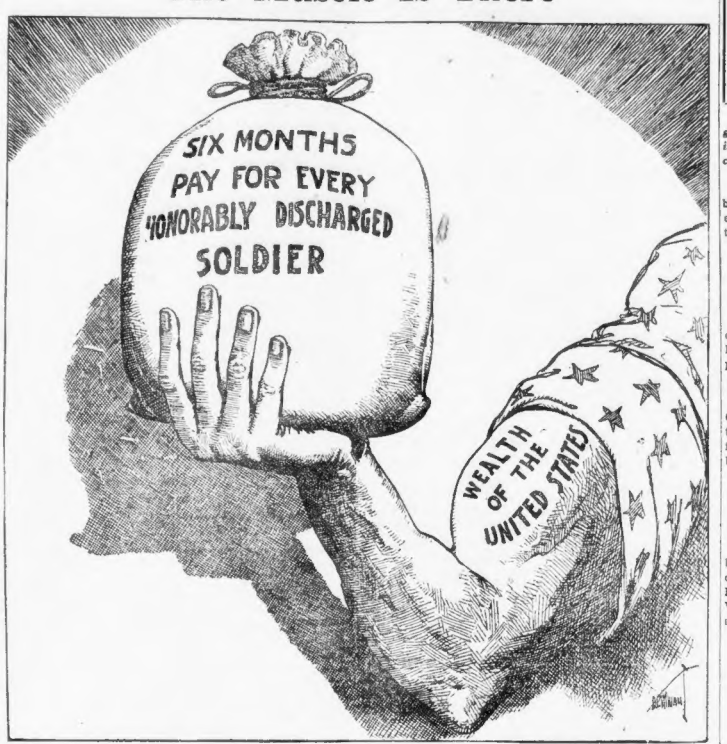
Whatever you do, reader, develop YOUR AMBITION, AND SEE THAT IT WORKS IN USEFUL LINES.

There is IN YOU only a certain amount of force. The days are drifting rapidly behind you; your chance to do something worth while gets smaller and smaller.

Save your real strength FOR YOUR REAL WORK.

Nurse your ambition and determine in your mind that, big or little, powerful or weak, it shall at least work along the lines INTENDED, and use its powers for the benefit of the other human beings fastened to this little earth with you.

The Muscle Is There



How Becker's Plot Against Hearst by Use of Ex-Convicts Was Exposed in Senate Hearing

[From the testimony brought out by the Senate Investigating Committee at Washington, Saturday, in examining into ex-Assistant Attorney-General Becker's conduct in procuring false affidavits against William Randolph Hearst.]

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY-GENERAL BECKER, questioned by Senator Reed about the payment of State funds to Philip Musica, ex-convict, one of a gang of $800,000 swindlers, used by Becker in the plot against Mr. Hearst, swore:

BECKER: "You can figure it out. Take his pay, $20, and multiply it by about 500 days, something like that. That will be the total."

SENATOR REED: "TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS! And then he got his expenses in addition to that?"

BECKER: "Yes."

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY-GENERAL BECKER, admitting on cross-examination by Senator Reed that he had employed Jacob Luban, ex-convict forger, the third criminal used in his affidavit plot against Mr. Hearst, said:

"The employment of people of shadowy reputation to supply the bureau with information was by no means an unusual practice."

Senator Reed's examination of Becker brought out how ex-Convict Musica hired, with public funds, two taxicab starters at the Ritz-Carlton to try to get evidence against Mr. Hearst by furnishing chauffeurs who would identify photos of Bolo and Ambassador Bernstorff as men who had visited the Hearst apartment.

SENATOR REED: "They were on the roll as investigators, the men that Musica picked up and affared some money if they would find somebody to offer this evidence against Mr. Hearst."

BECKER: "Both of them were on the rolls as investigators—MEN THAT HE (MUSICA) FOUND AND PROMISED TO PAY IF THEY WOULD GO OUT AND FIND THE MEN."

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY-GENERAL BECKER, questioned by Senator Reed concerning his former testimony that the report of Perley Morse, noted New York public accountant, in the Bolo Pasha case, had contained a memorandum naming Boy-Ed and Von Papen (connected with the German Embassy at Washington) as having been present at a dinner at Mr. Hearst's house:

SENATOR REED: "Had not the Attorney-General's office given out the statement that Boy-Ed and Von Papen had been at a dinner at Mr. Hearst's house?"

BECKER: "I testified that it was contained in a paragraph in the accountant's report of Mr. Parley Morse."

SENATOR REED: "Is it not a fact that no such statement was made in any statement by Mr. Perley Morse?"

BECKER: "My recollection is that it occurred in it."

SENATOR REED: "Was it over in the report filed by Mr. Morse?"

BECKER: "It was taken out and corrected by Mr. Morse."

From the testimony of Perley Morse, public accountant, engaged by Attorney-General Lewis to investigate the financial transactions of Bolo Pasha in this country:

SENATOR REED: "How long was it before you concluded that investigation of the fiscal transactions?"

MR. MORSE: "My report was rendered September 21, 1917."

SENATOR REED: "As you originally filed it with Attorney-General Lewis, did you ever withdraw it or any part of it and change it?"

MR. MORSE: "NO, SIR."

SENATOR REED: "Is there a statement in that report to the effect that Boy-Ed and Von Papen were at a dinner with Mr. Hearst?"

MR. MORSE: "NO, SIR."

SENATOR REED: "The statement, then, that you afterward changed your report, putting in the names of these men, and that your first report did not have them in, is incorrect?"

MR. MORSE: "YES, SIR; AND IT HAS TO BE SO, SENATOR, because I have only made four copies of this report, three of which were delivered to the Attorney-General for his disposal, and the fourth copy, which we call our proofreading copy, is here in my hands, and I think that if the reports I rendered to the Attorney-General are compared with this you will see they are all the same."

SENATOR REED: "In the report of October 7, 1917, on the Humbert case, is there any statement to the effect that Boy-Ed and Von Papen were at a dinner with Mr. Hearst?"

MR. MORSE: "NO, SIR."

SENATOR REED: "There never was any such statement in it?"

MR. MORSE: "No, sir."

Mr. Morse's testimony about how he abruptly withdrew from the Lewis-Becker investigation:

SENATOR REED: "Did you ever have any conversation with Musica, (the ex-convict) in regard to these cases, or in regard to Mr. Hearst?"

MR. MORSE: "I used very frequently to go to the Murray Hill Hotel to see Attorney-General Lewis, and this man Musica used to hang around there a great deal, and whenever I saw him he used to speak to me, and he used to volunteer information as to what they were doing."

SENATOR REED: "Were you ever requested to come up there for the purpose of facing a man named Johnson, at the Murray Hill Hotel?"

MR. MORSE: "First, Mr. Musica asked me over the telephone. It seems that this Mr. Johnson, who is—I had better call him by his full name, so as not to mix him up with the other man (ex-convict Musica went under the name Johnson)—Severance Johnson. He was a man that had been connected with the Hearst publications. Musica called me up one afternoon and he said they were examining Severance Johnson, and he called me to come up and face him BECAUSE THEY MIGHT AS WELL FINISH THIS MAN HEARST RIGHT AWAY."

SENATOR REED: "What was the term about Hearst? What did he call him?"

MR. MORSE: "IT IS THE NAME THAT IS NOT PRONOUNCED IN POLITE SOCIETY."

SENATOR REED: "Tell us the language as near as you can, and you can omit this language."

MR. MORSE: "IT IS TIME THAT WE LAND THIS —— HEARST. I think I get Mr. Becker on the 'phone right away after that and told him that I did not approve of those methods, and I believe that I met Mr. Becker that night or the day after in the evening and dined with him. I TOLD HIM THOSE METHODS WOULD NOT SUCCEED. I TOLD HIM THAT NEW YORK PEOPLE WOULD NOT STAND FOR IT."

SENATOR REED: "Was the occasion of your withdrawing from these cases the methods that were being employed by Mr. Becker?"

MR. MORSE: "I will say this much, Senator—that I never liked his methods."

Mr. Morse, after testifying that Becker had talked to him, NOT at the Republican Club, as Becker tried to intimate, but AT THE APARTMENT OF WILLIAM BARNES, about the possibility of getting something out of Severance Johnson, turned on the witness stand to Becker and said:

MR. MORSE: "Mr. Becker, I warned Attorney-General Lewis against you way back in October, and also other friends of his warned Attorney-General Lewis against you at that time."

Ye TOWN GOSSIP

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By K. C. B.

A CITY street
AND IT'S cold,
AND THREE little boys
NOT WARMLY clad,
AND THEY shivered.
AND THEIR hands were red.
AND EACH of them
HAD AN old sack.
AND THEY'D filled each sack
WITH BITS of wood.
AND WERE dragging the sacks
ALONG THE street,
AND THERE came a truck.
AND A gray horse.
AND A driver.
WHO WAS beating his hands
TO KEEP them warm,
AND TALKING to the horse.
TO SPEED it up.
AND THE three little boys
ALL SAW his truck,
AND IT was going their way.
AND THEY yelled at each other.
AND DRAGGING their sacks,
AS FAST as they could
THEY GOT to the truck.
BUT THE old gray horse
WAS GOING too fast,
OR THE three little boys
WERE MUCH too short,
AND THEIR arms weren't strong
OR WHATEVER it was,
AND NO one of them
COULD BOOST his sack
UP ONTO the truck.
AND THEY'D just decided
TO GIVE it up.
WHEN THE driver saw them.
AND STOPPED the horse,
AND LAID down his reins,
AND LAID down his whip,
AND WENT on back
TO THE rear of his truck.

AND TOOK each sack,
AND LIFTED it up,
AND PULLED up the kids
AND SAT them down
AND COVERED them over
WITH AN old horse blanket,
AND PICKED up his reins,
AND PICKED up his whip,
AND SAID "Geddup."
AND THE old gray horse
RAISED UP his head,
AND AWAY they went.
AND OF course I know
THAT THIS driver man
HADN'T DONE anything
EXCEPT WHAT a man
REALLY OUGHT to do,
BUT FROM where I stood
I COULD look around
AT A dozen men
WHO STOOD and watched,
TILL THE old gray horse
DRAGGED the whole blamed bunch
CLEAN OUT of sight,
AND THEY all of them smiled.
THESE DOZEN men
AND I smiled, too,
AND WE took those smiles
TO A dozen homes.
AND THE truckman himself
DIDN'T EVEN know
HE WAS being watched.

I THANK

Today

A Long Range President.
Good German News.
Anarchy Worse Than Influenza.
6 Months' Pay for Soldiers

By Arthur Brisbane

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He is three thousand miles away, in France, fixing up things for Europe. But that does not seem to destroy Mr. Wilson's usefulness as President of the United States. He sends over a word by wireless and the strikers tying up the harbor, traffic and food supply of New York go back to work, believing that Wilson will have power to arrange a fair settlement.

Nothing like a definite opinion and confidence in your power to enforce it. Mr. Wilson's opinion is that the five and a half million people in New York city, their food, fuel and transportation come first—the quarrel between workers and employers second. He will find a way to enforce that sane idea.

The boat owners say they do not think they will deal with Mr. Manly, the government representative. But they will probably see the light if they have to hear from Mr. Wilson again. Capital does not exactly love him. But it respects him, and knows that deeds are his specialty as well as words. He took over the railroads and the wire system of the country. It would not take him long to take over the boats of New York harbor—and he has the army, navy and public opinion to help him—rather a strong combination. Even high priced corporation lawyers would hardly advise their clients to defy it.

There is a rumor of Liebknecht's death, not confirmed as this is written. And the moderate group of Germans, advocating a republic with representative government, including constructive intelligence as well as mere dissatisfaction, appears to be getting the upper hand. That is good news for the whole world as well as for Germany.

The nations of the world are so closely connected that disease in one hurts the others, be the disease physical or political. Organized anarchy—if such a thing be thinkable—is the Liebknecht dream. Let it establish a firm grip on seventy million Germans, spread to Austria, into Russia and the Balkans, where misery presses hard, and the world would have on its hands a new war more dangerous than the one just ended.

As the Spanish influenza, a by-product of war, killed in a few months 6,000,000 of human beings, more than the total number killed in four years of war, so anarchy among 300,000,000 of Europeans, disorganizing many nations, would do infinitely more harm, economically, than all the war.

England, wise nation, with many thinkers among her leaders, sees this, and forgets even her hatred of Germany in the effort to keep back the anarchist peril.

The widow of Mr. Flagler dies in Louisville, leaving ninety-nine millions and a few odd hundred thousands. Her inheritance tax will pay the entire public debt of the State of Kentucky and leave more than a million to the good. Happy State of Kentucky. Two hundred and fifty such ladies might die in the city of New York, and their inheritance tax wouldn't pay the debt of New York City.

Mr. Rockefeller himself, if he gave every cent he has, could hardly pay off New York City's debt. There are great possibilities in inheritance taxes, although it would seem to be fairer to put the big tax on a man while he lives, instead of waiting to take it from his widow and children. Taxing the dead is something like shooting at a bird on the ground. More sportsmanlike to shoot it flying.

The government decides that the soldier may keep the overcoat and uniform in which he leaves camp. That does not seem extravagant generosity toward one who has given up his job and stood ready to give up his life.

In addition to letting the soldier keep his uniform, the government should let him keep his salary until he finds another job, or for a reasonable length of time, not less than six months.

Certain gentlemen will keep forever many millions accumulated during patriotic profiteer war times. It wouldn't be too much to let the soldier keep his small pay for six months, sending him home right away, and giving him a chance to look around for something to do.

The Union League Club of New York has appointed a committee to "study the Bolshevist movement."

Gentlemen of the Union League committee know in a general way that Russia is a place where American oil companies and mining companies own certain rights and international Harvester companies build huge factories. And it is, of course, eminently desirable to do whatever may be possible to protect those factories and those interests.

If, now the canaries would appoint a committee to investigate savage cats on the back fence there would be two well-balanced committees, able to make reports of similar accuracy.